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CAPT. JAMES LINN VETERAN OF RIVER DIES IN THIS CITY

Ran on Many Famous Boats in
Haleyon Days of Ohio and
Mississippi.

Was Union Soldier in Civil
War and Sank a Boat.

AN EXPERIENCE AT PADUCAH

Capt. James Linn, the oldest steamboat engineer in the United States, died this morning at 1:30 o'clock at his home, 1309 South Third street. He was 87 years old. He is survived by two children, Mrs. James Melgan, of South Fourth street, and Mr. S. D. Linn, a miller at Duquoin, Ill., and his second wife, whom he married in Paducah 24 years ago. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock at his residence, the Rev. D. C. Wright, rector of Grace church, officiating. The burial will be in Oak Grove cemetery.

Captain Linn was born in Portsmouth, O., and was reared in that city. He obtained an engineer's license when 18 years old and had been steamboating all his life, except the last few years. He was engineer on the Great Republic, Tyson, Allen Adams, Statesman, Mayflower, U. S. S. Tammah and the Tawaw. Most of these boats were in the Cincinnati and New Orleans trade. He was a union soldier and sank the U. S. S. Tammah in the harbor at Paducah during the war on orders from Washington.

Captain Linn's children are by his first wife, whom he married in Ohio. He has been a resident of Paducah since he married, 24 years ago, living where he does now. He was a member of the Episcopal church.

An interesting document in connection with his wartime record is preserved in connection with an appeal for aid he made to congress. In it he detailed some facts about the sinking of the Tammah. It reads:

His Communication.

"To the House of Representatives:

"In again asking your assistance I deem it proper to explain as well as I can that you may fully understand the justice of my claim, viz:

"The U. S. S. Tammah was originally a big ferryboat at Quincy, Ill. I was ordered to her long before she was put in commission, and she was originally intended for Commodore Phelps' flagship, but after trial she proved too slow for him, and got the Emma Duncan at Louisville, Assistant Surgeon Adolphus Hudson a former shipmate of Commodore Phelps, who was not a volunteer, but a member of the regular navy. In this case an order for his transfer to the Duncan. At that time we were at Union, Tenn. Our paymaster had no money. To accommodate him I gave him a watch with two dials—one for one place and one for another. Also a gold pen and heavy gold holder with pencil for six dollars (not \$25 as is shown by mistake). Our ship, while patrolling the Tennessee, often anchored at Paducah for a week at a time. I took an option on a 50 acre farm in opposite Paducah, four miles from the river. One day I was absent and left for home, Jackson, C. H., Ohio. I stopped one day at Cincinnati and ordered a new suit of uniform and overcoat. When at Cincinnati I ordered a new watch from the first thing I did was to ship three barrels of flour to Cairo. I settled up everything with instructions for my family to move by rail to Portsmouth, and by river to Paducah.

"When I got to Cairo my flour was there. Took the packet for Paducah. My ship was anchored there. The flour was intended one barrel for the stevedore, one for the warehouse, of which I was the caterer, and one to go home. I had a big trunk which I filled with my books and other valuables that accompanied me. With a check all were lost."

EDISON BETTER

New York, Feb. 28.—Thomas A. Edison, who was seriously ill, following his second operation on his ear, passed a comfortable night. His condition is distinctly favorable this morning. His temperature and pulse are normal.

STANDARD SUITS

Cleveland, Feb. 28.—District Attorney Sullivan began a suit against the Standard Oil company in federal court, similar to that in progress in St. Louis, summoning the company to appear March 9.

Substitute Police Measure Will Go Through House With New Saloon License Bill, Says Mr. Campbell.

Police Bill Provides for Civil
Service Regulations and Re-
moves Minimum Number of
Men.

City Solicitor James Campbell, Jr., returned this morning from Frankfort satisfied that the two amendments to the second class city charter, in which Paducah is especially interested, will be passed if nothing else in this session of the legislature. He was fortunate in steering them through the senate just before the county unit left for that house.

Mr. Campbell said Representative Klair, of Lexington, chairman of the house committee on municipalities, to which the bill removing the maximum and minimum restrictions on the police force and increasing the maximum and minimum saloon license to \$500, were referred today, promised the bills would be reported Monday and made a special order for the earliest possible day. Mr. Klair will push them as his own measures in the house.

The saloon license bill does nothing except increase the maximum license, leaving it optional with the general council to fix the license at any price from \$100 to \$500.

The Police Bill.

The police force bill, as passed by the senate and referred to the house committee, fixes the maximum force for second class cities at 75 and the minimum at 20; but in the house a substitute measure will be passed and sent to the senate for concurrence, repealing the law, making 30 the minimum force and leaving the size of the force optional with the general council of each city, while placing such restrictions on the action of the mayor and board of police and fire commissioners as to prevent the arbitrary dismissal of men for political reasons.

The bill says the board of police and fire commissioners shall fix the regulations for the force, providing a physical examination, but that members of the present force, after the number has been decided on, shall not be compelled to undergo a physical examination. A man may be removed at all times for physical incapacity to perform his duty in the manner provided by the law.

Men can only be removed upon charges, and not for taking part in politics. The charges must be preferred in writing and filed with the clerk of the board, who shall serve notice on the accused to appear at a date not less than three days after

service. The accused may demand a trial within five days, thus preventing his indefinite suspension. Witnesses may be summoned, and punished for contempt, parties may employ attorneys, and the case may be carried to the circuit court on a writ of supersedeas and from there to the court of appeals, thus making it certain that a man may not be discharged upon bogus accusations, and, it is believed, removing the police from politics.

Mr. Campbell said that there was so much opposition to school board changes that it was deemed advisable not to attempt anything, especially since the night riders, the county unit bill and the legislative contests have complicated affairs to such an extent that almost any bill, that is opposed, will fail.

When the committee on rules takes charge of affairs next Thursday some meritorious measures may be called out of reluctant committee hands and rushed through at the last moment. The legislature will adjourn March 17.

Duty for Mrs. J. O. Jones.

Mrs. Augusta Rogers, of Broad street, last night was hostess of a farewell party given in compliment to Mrs. J. O. Jones, who will leave for Jackson, Tenn., in a few days to reside. The house was decorated in a color scheme of blue and white, and covers were spread in the dining room for twelve. Music and games were features of the evening. Among those present were Mrs. C. C. Petty, Mrs. J. T. McCarthy, Mrs. J. O. Jones, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. W. Dallas, Mrs. John Block, Mrs. L. Block, Mrs. E. Walker, Mrs. Augusta Rogers, Misses Rebecca Coleman, Lena Walker, Maudie Block and Leona Petty.

In County Court.

Judge Lightfoot has announced that the suits filed by State Auditor's Agent H. L. Anderson to collect inheritance tax from a number of Paducah people will be called and tried at the regular meeting of his court the second Monday in March. The auditor's agent desired a continuance of the cases, which the court refused unless sufficient reasons are given, as the parties concerned are anxious to have the matters disposed of at once.

In Police Court.

Not one arrest was made last night by the police and this morning Police Judge Cross had no cases for trial. This is the first time in several months that there has been no court for two consecutive days.

MR. MCCABE SINKING.

Mr. George McCabe, of Jefferson street, who has been ill for several weeks, is reported as sinking.

McCRACKEN REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE IS UNIT IN SENTIMENT FOR W. H. TAFT

Twenty Eight Precinct Com-
mitteemen Held Harmonious
Session Last Night and Is-
sued Calls.

Calls were made last night by the McCracken County Republican committee for two conventions. The first will be a mass convention March 3 at 1:30 o'clock at the court house in this city for the purpose of electing 21 delegates to the First district congressional convention in this city March 11, and instructing the delegates to that convention as to the county's preference for presidential candidate.

The second call is for a mass convention at the court house in this city, at 1:30 o'clock, April 29, for the purpose of reorganizing the county committee. The first call is in accordance with Chairman W. J. Deboe's call, and the last in accordance with instructions of the state central committee.

Twenty-eight precincts were represented at the meeting last night and everyone present was for Taft for president. It is believed the sentiment in this county is so strong, that the opposition to the national administration cannot make any showing against it.

MARSHAL FINDS GIRLS IN DISORDERLY HOUSE.

Marshal H. S. Parsons, of Cairo, Ill., arrived in the city yesterday in search of Minnie Monhele, 15 years old, who was found late yesterday afternoon at the house of Ida Nard, alias Stewart, a negro, on Bridge Alley near Island creek. About three weeks ago the girl left home with a

woman and went to Golconda. When Marshal Parsons left Cairo yesterday he intended going to Golconda, but just before the train pulled out a post card was received from the girl with the post mark of Paducah. Yesterday afternoon Marshal Parsons and the police made a diligent search and finally located her. The girl was taken back to Cairo this afternoon and she will be placed in the industrial school at Geneva. She comes of a good family. Ida Nard was fined \$10 and costs this morning on a charge of conducting a disorderly house.

Mr. C. H. Bradley, the well known traveling salesman, went to his home at Murray today, after making his trip through Ballard county.

WEATHER.



Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight. Saturday rain or snow with colder by night. Highest temperature yesterday, 37; lowest today, 30.

EQUITY GROWERS CHARGE BUYERS WITH BAD FAITH

Do Not Expect to Consummate
Deal, Although Samples Are
Being Examined.

No Sales Were Made on Pa-
ducah Market.

SALES ARE MADE ELSEWHERE

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 28.—R. K. Smith, the American Tobacco company manager here, is inspecting samples of pooled burley from Winchester. There is a likelihood that the deal will not be consummated. Equity people charge buyers with acting in bad faith and do not expect to make a deal.

Tax on Burley Pool.

Winchester, Ky., Feb. 28. (Special.)—M. P. Elchorn, state auditor's agent, has brought suit against the burley pool for taxes for 1905 and 1906 on \$100,000,000. Suits will be brought against every burley board of control for taxes.

No sales of association tobacco were made at the Paducah saleroom today. A number of the tobacco brokers of the city left this morning for Murray and Mayfield, where sales are also conducted by the association, and probably good sales will be reported from those places tomorrow.

Everette Ware, the official inspector for this district, will leave Monday for a tour of inspection of the pricing houses in the district, it being a part of his duties to see that the tobacco is handled properly in the pricing houses. So far only three hogheads that have been inspected on the Paducah market failed to correspond with the sample type furnished the salesmen. Where it is found that the type furnished is not true, another sample is taken from the hoghead and the sale made from that. The instructions of the managers of the association are being rigidly adhered to this season, and no complaint of tobacco falling to come up to the sample type is expected.

A prominent tobacco man said yesterday that the 1907 crop is not showing up as well in size and color

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PREFER SECRETARY ROOT TO SON OF CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco, Feb. 28.—This city sent an official invitation to President Roosevelt to visit San Francisco during the battleships' stay. If unable to attend, he is asked to send Secretary Root. This is taken to indicate that Root is preferred to the native son, Secretary of the Navy McCall.

Robbers Blow Safe.

San Antonio, Feb. 28.—Robbers last night blew the safe of the Wells Fargo company at Laredo with nitro-glycerine, and secured \$300. A posse is pursuing.

AUTOMOBILISTS WILL JOIN STATE AUTO ASSOCIATION

Formation of a State Automobile association will be completed in Louisville next week, and the Paducah Automobile association has received a request from the Louisville automobile owners to send delegates to the organization next week. Mr. Dan Fitzpatrick is president of the Paducah association, and he will call a meeting one day next week to decide what action may be taken.

The number and influence of the automobilists in Kentucky have been growing rapidly in the last few years, and under the leadership of a state association the automobilists are able to cope with various problems which have arisen. Organization of the state association will crystallize the movement in Kentucky, and will have good results in the way of enabling them to meet adverse legislation and similar questions.

At the meeting of organization it is thought that the delegates will endorse the national bill for the registration of automobiles, and a delegate will be selected to the national association. As far as could be ascertained local automobilists are in favor of joining the state association.

—Usual services tonight at Temple Israel at 7:30. The subject will be "The Life That Has Never Failed."

BECKHAM WITHDRAWN FROM SEN- ATORIAL RACE AFTER BRADLEY SECURES MAJORITY BUT LAURELS NOT SNATCHED FROM THE VICTOR

FOURTH DISTRICT CONVENTION WILL BE HELD MAY 16

Louisville, Feb. 28.—The Democratic committee of the Fourth congressional district, at a meeting at the Old Inn, decided to hold a primary election Saturday, May 16, to select the Democratic candidate for congress in the Fourth. The committee went into session at noon and was called to order by Sam T. Spalding, of Lebanon, the chairman. Those of the committee present were: Charles E. Sommers, Hardin county; J. P. Stevens, Ohio; Dr. J. W. Thomas, Larue; C. R. Cardin, Hart, and Rogers Gore, of Washington. Mr. Gore was made secretary of the meeting.

TAFT DELEGATES AND ATT'Y HADLEY ON STATE TICKET

St. Louis, Feb. 28.—Resolutions favoring the candidacy of Secretary Taft for president and commending the administration of President Roosevelt were adopted by the Republican state convention. In addition, Attorney General Herbert S. Hadley was endorsed as Republican nominee for governor; Charles Nagel, of St. Louis, was made the choice of the convention for national committeeman, and four delegates-at-large to the national convention and four alternates were selected. The delegates at large are:

United States Senator William Warner; Attorney General Herbert S. Hadley; John R. Bothwell, of Sedalia; John R. Holmes, of Joplin.

The records of Senator Warner and the Republican representatives from Missouri in congress were also endorsed, and the convention adjourned.

PATENTS GRANTED

Patents have been issued to residents of Kentucky as follows: W. K. and T. B. Bayless, Lexington, cloth measuring device; W. O. Powell, Henderson, corn harvesting and husking machine; O. P. Schriver, Fort Thomas, barrel truck; S. S. Spivey, 153 Farley place, Paducah, boiler furnace.

DESPERADO KILLED

New York, Feb. 28.—Chief "Bear" Reilly, a desperado and hero, prominent in the criminal class, was killed today, when he and his pals attempted to hold up Tom Craven's saloon. Reilly and his gang have operated almost unopposed for the past year on the east side, holding up people at will.

ORATORICAL CONTEST

Monday evening the oratorical contest will be held in the High school auditorium to select the representative of the High school to compete in the oratorical contest to be held at Hopkinsville March 13. In addition to the orators Misses Lucille Harth, Mary B. Jennings and Lucille Weil have arranged an attractive musical program. It is anticipated that a large audience will be in attendance to hear the High school orators, who are the best speakers in the school.

The program:
Music—Miss Mary, Clark and Robert Bonardant.
Oration, "Education in Kentucky"—J. Will Rock.
Solo, "Could I" (Tostl)—Frank Cheek.
Oration, "Kentucky"—Ed Mitchell.
Violin solo—George Rowligh, Jr., accompanied by Miss May Bonds.
Oration, "The Working Man"—Frank Lutenburg.
Sextetto—Gus Elliott, Ed Cave, Salem Cope, Frank Cheek, Robert Fisher and Gregory Harth.

The judges of the oratorical contest will be: Hal S. Corbett, Alben Barkley and Frank Cheek.

Mr. Elmo Duseh is in the city purchasing a spring stock of goods for his store at Ogden.

Unexpected Crisis Precipitated in Joint Session Today and Democrats Threat- en to Pass County Unit Bill for Re- venge for An Alleged Deal.

Utmost Confusion Reigns When Recapitulation is Ordered
and Ollie James and McCreary Divide Honors in Dem-
ocratic Support—Could Not Break Quorum.

(By United Press.)

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 28.—Ex-Governor W. O. Bradley, Republican, was elected United States senator from Kentucky. Beckham's supporters tried to break a quorum. Many voted for Congressman Ollie James, Senators Charlton and McNutt, and Representatives Mueller and Lillard, Democrats, voted for Bradley. Sixty-four votes for Bradley, sixty-three against him.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 28. (2 p. m.)—Bradley 64, Beckham 15, James 15, McCreary 15, scattering 18. This was the vote on final ballot and Bradley was declared elected.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 28. (Bulletin)—Depending on the fact that the Democratic speaker of the house, instead of the lieutenant governor presides over the joint session, the Democrats undertook to steal another hard won victory from the Republicans in the legislature today, and, although W. O. Bradley was elected United States senator, a recapitulation was ordered. Democrats claim it was a deal with whisky men that caused the Louisville delegation to swing to the Republican, and so they threaten to pass the county unit bill, testing, as they say, the ability of Bradley to hold his men in line against the measure.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 28. (Bulletin)—On joint ballot at noon today Louisville's Democratic delegation went to Bradley, McNutt, Mueller and Charlton and Lillard went to Bradley, giving him 64 votes, sufficient to elect. Immediately the Democrats demanded a recapitulation which was granted by Speaker Coon, and then began leaving the house to break a quorum. In the confusion Senator Combs, who nominated J. C. W. Beckham, withdrew his candidate's name, and Democrats were confused, voting at random, while speeches are being made, and in the excitement no one can tell what is happening. It is evident that the Democratic choice centers around McCreary and Ollie James, with the certainty that the Beckham forces will go to James on account of the message he sent, asking his friends to support the nominee.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 28. (Special).—There was a wild scene in the joint session. Bradley got sixty-four votes, enough to elect. McNutt, Charlton, Lillard and Mueller voting for Bradley. Amidst wild excitement however, a recapitulation was ordered. Democrats left the room to break a quorum, but came back and the recapitulation began. Shanks and Linn and Chinn changed to Ollie James, and Newman to Mayo, as did Watson. Confusion was then rampant. Charlton declared if the vote was announced Bradley would be declared elected. Newman pleaded for a caucus to nominate a new candidate. Charlton gave notice that he would go into any caucus with Democrats. Chinn made a speech, regretting that he ever had to vote for any other than the Democratic nominee. He roared the bolters and a war of words with Charlton followed. Chinn voted for James as did Graves.

BOMB IS THROWN AT SHAH'S AUTO BUT HE IS UNHURT

EXPRESS REGRET AT PARTING WITH SO GOOD CITIZEN

Toheran, Feb. 28.—A bomb was thrown at the shah's automobile today as the ruler rode through the streets. Three of his outriders were killed, and many wounded. The shah escaped. It is uncertain yet who perpetrated the outrage.

But for the fact that the shah had sent a closed automobile ahead of his own carriage, there is little doubt he would have been killed. Two bombs dropped from the roof of the building and destroyed the automobile. The shah following in another was driven hastily to the palace as soon as the bomb exploded. Besides the three killed, 21 persons were injured.

ST. LOUIS BLACKHAND

St. Louis, Feb. 28.—Three thousand dollars has been paid Black Hand letter writers in the last two years here by prominent Italians, say the police today. Pietro Cipriano, now a prisoner, is believed by the police to have written the letters or been in league with the writers. Vito Viviano, a grocer, says he gave Cipriano \$75 four days ago to find the senders of letters in which a demand was made for \$2,000. Recently Viviano's store was wrecked by a bomb. Viviano admits he has been paying tribute.

Grain Market.

St. Louis, Feb. 28.—Wheat, \$1.09; corn, 59 1/2; oats, 54.

Seventeen prominent citizens participated in a farewell dinner in honor of Mr. J. S. Bleeker, manager of the Stone & Webster properties in this city, who has been transferred to Columbus, Ga. Those who sat at the table were Mr. Bleeker, Capt. Harrison Watt, J. T. Donovan, Muscoe Barnett, I. D. Wilcox, Joseph L. Friedman, J. C. Utterback, J. D. Moequol, Charles K. Wheeler, Dr. H. G. Reynolds, C. C. Grassham, C. F. Rieke, W. F. Paxton, Saunders A. Fowler, George C. Wallace, H. C. Foss, Dr. Victor Voris and Mr. Keepers. Mr. Saunders A. Fowler acted as toastmaster, and the following guests expressed the sentiment of regret at Mr. Bleeker's leaving: Hon. Charles K. Wheeler, C. C. Grassham, J. D. Moequol, Joseph L. Friedman, George C. Wallace, Mr. Keepers, of the Hill-nols Central at Chicago.

The heads of the departments and the office force of the traction company presented Mr. John S. Bleeker with a watch fob and pocket last night as the office was being closed. Mr. J. B. Blighman made the presentation. On one side of the pocket was Mr. Bleeker's monogram on the other side was the date he took charge of the Stone & Webster properties of this city and the date of his departure. In the pocket was a picture of his wife and child.

ENDURANCE RACE

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Montague Roberts, driver of the American car in the New York-to-Paris race, started west this morning as leader of the five remaining contestants.

Twinn Sisters, Hale and Hearty at 73

Mrs. Emma Shively and Mrs. Belle Beatty, twin sisters, who are now 73 years of age, enjoy health and strength, and seldom have an ache or pain, thanks to the God-given medicine, Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.

Mrs. Emma Shively resides at Big Clifty, Ky., and Mrs. Belle Beatty at Louisville, Ky. The illustration is taken from late photographs and shows how bright and vigorous they both are.



MRS. EMMA SHIVELY AND MRS. BELLE BEATTY, TWIN SISTERS, 73 YEARS OLD.

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"Before I began the use of your Duffy's Malt Whiskey last May I was so run down and nervous I could not walk a square; after taking several bottles I became strong and felt better than I did for years, so I have been using it ever since, and I now seldom ever have an ache or a pain. I am 73 years old."—MRS. BELLE BEATTY, 1731 15th St., Louisville, Ky.

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SEVEN CONDEMNED TO DIE IN RUSSIA

Punishment Meted Out to Terrorists for Attempt

Monk of Greek Church, Who Was Robber, Convicted and Sentenced to Fifteen Years.

THE GERMAN EMPIRE'S POLICY

St. Petersburg, Feb. 28.—The military court sitting in Fortress St. Peter and St. Paul condemned to death seven terrorists charged with complicity in the attempt last week in this city upon the lives of Grand Duke Nicholas Aleksevich, second cousin of the emperor and Minister of Justice Chicheglovitch and sentenced three others to fifteen years' imprisonment at hard labor.

Among those upon whom the death sentence was passed were two women and one other, was sent to prison. The prisoners acknowledged membership in the social revolutionary body and acknowledged also that a plot had been organized to kill Chicheglovitch, but unanimously and strenuously denied the intention to murder the grand duke. The police were unable to prove the existence of a plot against the grand duke.

Expropriation Ratified.

Berlin, Feb. 28.—The Prussian house of lords ratified the principle of the Polish expropriation. The bill came before the house yesterday. The house rejected amendments formulated by the committee, among which was one to the effect that land held longer than ten years cannot be expropriated, and adopted the original clause of the measure by a vote of 143 to 111.

Most intense interest was aroused by the debate, the chamber being occupied to its fullest extent by both members and spectators. The crown prince, among the latter, remained throughout. Outside the building great crowds gathered and awaited the result. The debate was lengthy and was closed by Chancellor Von Huelow, who spoke in favor of the measure and appealed to the house to help the government pass the bill in its entirety, promising that expropriation will be exercised only when absolutely necessary.

A Robber Monk.

Verkhovnyy, Perm, Russia, Feb. 28.—The circuit court of this town met today to pass sentence on a monk named Feodoroff, whose criminal life was revealed last fall, by sentencing him to penal servitude for fifteen years.

Feodoroff two years ago set up a shrine in a neighboring forest where he lived as a hermit. He soon attained

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Vinol is not a patent medicine, but a real cod liver preparation, containing in a highly concentrated form all of the body-building, strength-creating and curative elements of cod liver oil actually taken from fresh cod's livers, with all the useless oil eliminated and peptonate of iron added. It is delicious to take and children love it.

We ask every mother in Paducah, Ky., who has a weak, delicate or illing child, every run-down, debilitated or aged person, and every person suffering from pulmonary troubles to try Vinol on our offer to return money if it fails to give satisfaction.—W. H. McPherson, Druggist, Paducah, Ky.

great reputation for marvelous cures and his chapel in the solitude of the woods became the objective point for pilgrimages from all parts of the province of Perm.

The monk enjoyed a great reputation for sanctity, but when the relations came it was learned that his holy ways and words were nothing but a cloak for robbery murder and debauchery of every kind. Repeated disappearances of female pilgrims who visited the chapel finally attracted the attention of the authorities and an investigation disclosed the bodies of no less than twenty victims whom Feodoroff had assaulted, murdered and then buried in the cellar of his house.

Not for Annexation.

New York, Feb. 28.—Baron Speck von Sternburg, the German ambassador at Washington, has an article in the North American Review which appeared yesterday, on "The Truth About German Expansion," refuting reports of Germany's designs on Holland and Belgium, and explaining Germany's real policy of expansion. The ambassador says in part:

"One must therefore ascribe to ignorance of German conditions an attitude of some chauvinistic papers of Western Europe, in deliberately attempting to undermine Germany's reputation, particularly in the United States, and to inspire with fear the Danes, the Hollanders, the Austrians, the Belgians, on the ground of possibly impending union of their states with the German empire, a union of which the German empire is not in the least desirous, and which in Germany itself even if desired, would encounter wellnigh insuperable difficulties."

COLORED MAN

GRANTED RAISE IN SALARY BECAUSE OF COMPETENCE.

Principal Benton, of Nashville, Tenn., gained in his position by School Board.

Principal B. W. Benton, colored, for many years principal of the Lincoln building, Eighth and Olive streets, has met with success in the colored schools of the south. Benton left Paducah about two years ago to accept a better position. The Nashville "Tennessean" has the following to say of him:

"Principal Benton, colored, of Hadley school, who has been receiving a salary of \$75, was highly commended by the superintendent, who stated that he had recently been tendered a position at Memphis, the salary of which was \$95. On the recommendation of the superintendent Benton's salary was increased to \$90 per month."

ALDERMAN IS DISTURBED BY OBSERVANT POLICE.

A flashing light similar to the rays of a burglar's lantern in the piano store of Alderman W. T. Miller, on Broadway, attracted the attention of several newspaper carrier boys this morning about 5 o'clock, and Policemen Brennan and House, who were summoned, also decided that it was a burglar, and laid a scheme to trap him, one officer going to the front door and the other in the rear. When they rattled the door instead of a bold burglar attempting to make his escape, Alderman Miller, who was sleeping in the store, appeared attired in his pajamas to find out what the trouble was. Investigation showed that the light was coming from the stove, the fire flaring up at intervals.

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SCHEDULE FOR COMING SEASON

Of National League Baseball Clubs Announced.

Big Leagues Finish Business Sessions in New York—Several Important Changes Made.

CALLS FOR 151 CONTESTS

New York, Feb. 28.—The National League of Baseball Clubs made public its schedule of playing dates. The season will open April 14, and close October 7. Each club will play 154 games, the same as the American league. The eastern and western clubs will open in their own territory, Boston to play at Brooklyn, New York at Philadelphia, Chicago at Cincinnati and Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

The two big leagues finished their business sessions and adjourned and the national commission also ended its work by the adoption of amended rules relating to the purchase of players suggested at the meeting in Cincinnati last month.

A resolution was adopted by the National league approving the action taken by the American league and national commission on the question of invasion of territory.

The prerogative, previously held only by the pitcher to sell the ball before it is put into play, received its death thrust at the hands of the joint rules committee. As the rule now stands the pitcher may not rub the ball on the ground or any portion of his clothing and may not soil it with his hands.

It was decided also that the sacrifice hit shall also be predicated to the batsman, who when no one is out or when but one man is out, hits a fly ball that is caught, but results in a run being scored.

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FROM DELAWARE TO THE CHICAGO CONVENTION.

Desires of Senator Du Pont, Machine Leader, May Be Carried Out.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Senator Du Pont, of Delaware, when leaving the White House after a visit to the president, said that the Republican state committee will meet next week to arrange for the holding of the state convention to elect delegates to Chicago. He thought it probable that the committee would have the convention in April. As to the complexion of the delegates, Senator Du Pont said he felt sure they would go to the national convention uninstructed.

"That has been the custom of our state for many years," he said, "and there is no reason that I know of why it should be changed now."

Senator Du Pont is supposed to control the Republican machinery of his state, and if he can have his way the delegation will be without announced preference. He is likely to have a fight, however, as former Senator Allee has threatened to attempt to secure a Roosevelt delegation, either to vote for Roosevelt or Taft. When he was struggling to put "Gas" Adkins out of the political field of Delaware, the president gave him considerable assistance in the way of patronage, and he is under obligations to the White House.

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HESSIG CASE

DECIDED IN FAVOR OF GUARDIAN OF CHILDREN.

May Recover \$7,000 From Dr. Hessig as Share of His Mother's Estate.

Judge Reed yesterday afternoon decided the suit of F. G. Hudolph, guardian of Carl and Fred Hessig, against H. T. Hessig, in favor of the plaintiffs, who are empowered to recover from the defendant \$7,000 due the estate of his mother, one-half of which goes to himself and the other half to the two children. Mrs. Hessig left debts amounting to \$1,598, and the property left to H. T. Hessig is to be sold and the proceeds used toward paying the indebtedness of the estate, the remainder to be divided as provided in the will of Mrs. Hessig. The claim of the Fidelity and Casualty company against Hessig for \$1,100, it was forced to pay to the state of Tennessee as inheritance tax on property Mrs. Hessig inherited from her son, Fred Hessig's estate, of which Dr. Hessig was administrator, was refused, on the grounds that the state of Tennessee had no right to recover the tax and the bonding company should not have paid it.

The case has been the most important one tried out at this term of court and has been bitterly fought. Attorney D. G. Park represented the plaintiffs.

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The Counterfeiter—It's easy enough to make money.
The Confidence Man—Yes, but the trouble is to pass it without getting caught.—Philadelphia Press.

Strictly Medical.
(Several eastern surgeons have declared that it is now possible to transfer the organs of animals to the human body.—News Item.)
A canine's lung is in Bill Brown. His friends are all agog; Though once the laziest in town, He's working like a dog.

Miss Sally Fry is often seen To give her skirts a swish; One eye is hers, and one's a cat's, Which makes her kittenish.

The stomach of a steer is sewn Inside of William Knox; And so 'tis not surprising he Is eating like an ox.

Though he is always butting in, Don't put the blame on Sidney; It was a goat that saved his life, They're of the self-same kidney. —Detroit Free Press.

Nature Fake—He once laid a corner stone. "Well?" "He's been cackling about it ever since."—Washington Herald.

Woman's Nightmare

No woman's happiness can be complete without children; it is her nature to love and want them as much as it is to love the beautiful and pure. The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of **Mother's Friend**, so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful remedy is always applied externally, and has carried thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering.

Send for free book containing information of priceless value to all expectant mothers. The Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

Mother's Friend

Sensational Career of Model, Whose Alleged Murdered Brother Was Husband.

New York, Feb. 28.—Investigations which followed the startling charge of Mrs. Paul Roy, or, as she is better known, Gladys Calla, a singer, that her brother, George A. Carkins, who was supposed to have committed suicide at Newington, N. H., was in reality murdered by Roy, has brought to light the young woman's eventful life story.

Her career, which began at Portsmouth, N. H., included a series of adventures in New York and New England, and reached its height in Paris, where she lived for several years.

It was in 1889 that she started from Portsmouth, announcing that she intended to make a name for herself on the stage. Nothing more was heard from her in her home city until three years later.

She had developed into a strikingly beautiful woman during her absence and her beauty and manner of dressing created a sensation when she returned to Portsmouth.

Among her admirers was a young lieutenant at the Portsmouth navy yard. For some reason the attention of the navy department was called to the attachment and inquiry was begun with the result that the lieutenant left the service.

Marries Murray.
Shortly after this the young lady took the stage name of Gladys Hodgdon, and appeared in numerous productions as a dancer with Lole Fuller. While playing in Worcester, Mass., she became acquainted with William Murray, a Boston millinery salesman, and a little later they were married at Newburyport, Mass. For a while they lived at a Boston hotel as Mr. and Mrs. Southern. Early in 1894 they established themselves in Watertown.

Enter George Barnes.
After a few months' residence in Watertown, Mr. and Mrs. Southern departed, and the young woman in September, 1904, resumed her position as the occupant of a home in Portsmouth.

In the two years prior to the advent in Haverhill of Gladys Hodgdon two women, Winnie Lewis and Miss Morton, conducted a profitable cigar store. Upon Gladys Hodgdon's appearance, they sold the cigar business to one "George A. Barnes, of Boston," and became part of Gladys's Hodgdon's household.

In October, 1894, William C. South ern brought suit against George A. Barnes for alienating the affections of his wife, and Deputy Sheriff Raymond attached the cigar store for \$50,000.

There was no trial. While the case was on the supreme court docket of Essex county, "Mr. Barnes" instituted criminal proceedings against Gladys Hodgdon.

The name of the complainant was "James Williams," otherwise "George A. Barnes, of Boston," and the defendant was described as "Miss Gladys L. Southern, alias Hodgdon, alias Murray, alias Carkins." The offense alleged was blackmail. She pleaded not guilty and the hearing was deferred until December 9.

The marriage with Murray is said to have been annulled in 1895, after which the young woman resumed her life on the stage, returning from time to time to her old home in Portsmouth.

Dazzles All Paris.
Then for the first time in her career the scene changed to Europe. She first appeared in the Latin quarter of Paris, and took up the study of music under Madame Marchesi.

Her luck appeared to have changed. Her toilettes, which in the past had been of the most simple kind, became exquisite, and she exhibited many diamonds.

Where in the past she had gone on foot to receive her music lessons, she now rode in a fine carriage. But the music lessons did not continue beyond that point. They were discontinued by Madame Marchesi.

In the following year Paris saw little of the beautiful American, but at the end of that time she appeared at an exclusive function patronized largely by Americans.

She was chaperoned by Mrs. Barret, an authoress, who wrote under the name "Sappho."

During that whole season the young woman remained with Mrs. Barret, and accompanied her to many smart receptions given by prominent Americans.

In the year following her relations with Mrs. Barret were severed and she came out as the protégée of a woman known as Baroness von Oren-dorff, the widow of a German diplomat. With the baroness she resided at a house in Rue Hamelin, and Miss Calla became known as a young woman of unlimited wealth.

The house was gorgeously furnished and was the scene of many brilliant functions, in which many wealthy and socially prominent Americans took part.

"Cake Walk" Dinner.
It was at a dinner in the Rue Hamelin house that her social career in the French capital came to a sudden close. All the best known Americans in Paris, and many distinguished Parisians were present.

Little negroes from the Nouveau Cirque danced a cake-walk, which was then the rage. Gladys sang a duet with Duverney, of the Opera Comique. She was girlishly dressed

in white spotted tulle and carried white flowers.

Later in the evening one of the men guests, linking arms with Miss Calla, and holding a loving cup in his hands, swung around the horse-shoe table, kissing Miss Calla and all the women guests, in spite of protests. Just before the guests went away the young hostess gave an exhibition cake-walk.

The dinner was the end of her social career, but she continued to drive fine horses and to receive marked attention from a host of admirers.

Among her acquaintances at this period was the late shah of Persia, who was then on his last visit to Paris. The grand vizier gave her splendid diamonds and pearls.

It was while in Paris also that she met Roy. Their acquaintance was renewed when they met again in America, and the marriage at Boston followed.

ANONYMOUS ATTACK

ON INDEPENDENT TELEPHONE MOVEMENT DENOUNCED.

Local Company Makes a Statement With Regard to One in Circulation Here.

Our attention has just been called to an unsigned pamphlet entitled "The Independent Telephone Movement," which has been energetically circulated during the last few days in this city.

We wish to announce merely to our friends and patrons that Independent telephone companies throughout this broad land do not stoop to such falsehoods and misrepresentations about their competitor, and we do not deem the pamphlet worthy of any reply.

We leave to the people of this city the decision as to the merits of this anonymous attack upon a movement that was brought into life twelve years ago by the oppressive actions of the same body of men who are now using such articles and taking the action that is being so generally condemned by our citizens at the present time.

PADUCAH HOME TELEPHONE COMPANY.
H. J. Jeffery, Vice-President.

RAILROAD NOTES

No order came closing the locomotive department of the shops tomorrow and they will work full time. Considerable overtime has been put in by the machinists and toolmakers during the week on account of the pressing work needed on engines that are in demand to carry specials to and from the Mardi Gras at New Orleans.

Whether the order, closing the car department for two days, will be repeated again next week is not and will not be known until the time arrives, the officials always giving the employees 24 hours' notice when the shops are to close down.

Among other changes that are expected in the schedule of trains and the runs of the trainmen is the understanding, that a new time table will soon be issued for the passenger run between Cairo and Paducah, the change being made in the passenger train that has been leaving Paducah at 6:15, which will probably be made to leave at 5:30. The change is desired on account of the failure to make connections with other trains in Illinois. The change, if made, will be of benefit to the Paducah traveling public.

Fireman Itosee Pean, who was injured by falling from his engine several weeks ago, has not recovered and will soon resume his run between Paducah and Cairo. He went to Princeton today to visit a friend.

Claim Agent Charles Payne, of Fulton, was here yesterday.

Engineer Mercer, of the Illinois Central, who is well known in Paducah, has purchased a handsome home at Fulton.

Leslie Johnson, of Paducah, has accepted the place as telegraph operator for the Illinois Central at Kuttawa, making the third operator at that place.

Mrs. T. L. Roeder, wife of the well known car repairer, and Mrs. Sullivan wife of the general yardmaster of the Illinois Central at Paducah, left yesterday for New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras. They will visit at Jackson, Miss., and Memphis before returning.

Will Not Rebuild Cannery.
Messrs. Lee, Adolph and Jesse Well, owners of the Paducah Canning factory, Tenth and Norton streets, that was destroyed by fire several weeks ago, have decided not to rebuild the factory. Last summer they contemplated moving the factory south. The factory had done a good business, but there was a scarcity of fruits and vegetables around Paducah to can.

To sow selfishness is certainly to reap sorrow.

AS TO PRESIDENCY

MARYLAND COMMITTEE FOR ROOSEVELT POLICIES.

Not Disposed to Transcend Its Powers—Convention Will Be Held April 30.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 28.—The Republican state convention to name delegates at large to the national convention at Chicago will be held here on April 30. This was decided upon at a meeting of the state central committee.

Interest centered in the action of the committee on the recent endorsement of Secretary Taft for president by Republican members of the legislature. This was referred to in a resolution introduced by Congressman Sydney E. Mudd, which was unanimously adopted. After declaring that for it to make the committee's belief that the Republicans of Maryland now, as at the time of the last state convention, endorse the policies of President Roosevelt and demand as his successor "one who can be trusted to preserve in these policies," the resolution continues:

"Recognizing that the recent tribute of certain members of the general assembly to the eminent merits and public services of the Hon. William H. Taft was fully within the scope of their rights as individual Republicans, the committee feels that for it to make as such, any declaration for a presidential candidate would transcend its powers and be liable to misconstruction as seeking to forestall the decision of questions committed for determination to state and district conventions of the party and their duly-elected delegates. For this reason the committee refrains from any further expression on this subject."

Tennessee Republicans for Taft.
Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 28.—Republicans of the First congressional district, in convention at Greeneville this afternoon, declared for W. H. Taft for president, W. P. Browlow for re-election to congress, W. J. Oliver for national Republican committee man from Tennessee, and Daniel Cooper Swab for delegate-at-large to the national convention. Judge G. M. Henderson and E. Butler were elected district delegates. D. A. Vines was endorsed for district elector.

Two More Taft Delegates.

Alva, Okla., Feb. 28.—The Second congressional Republican convention this afternoon selected George Dodson of Oklahoma City, and Edward C. Wiggins, of Woodward county, as delegates to the national convention at Chicago and Dr. J. H. Sande, of Beaver county, as nominee for elector. The delegates were instructed for Taft.

"Mr. Dooley" on Philosophers.

In the March American Magazine "Mr. Dooley" writes a wonderful article on "Philosophers." McCutcheon's cartoons, which adorn the pages, are almost as funny as the article.

It is quite a take-off on Professor William James, of Harvard, and his new book "Pragmatism."

"Well, sir," says Mr. Dooley, "them Jameses are a great family."

"I thought they were all dead or

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reformed," said Mr. Hennessy. "A friend in mine was wined on a train that was held up by Jesse near Hannibal or—"

"I refer to th' Massachusetts not th' Missouri Jameses," says Mr. Dooley.

Following is "Dooley's" definition of a philosopher:

"What is a philosopher, says ye? A philosopher, himself, is a man that is thyrin' to make a livin' be thinkin' about things that no man can think about without th' top of his head blowin' off. It's a good thing they eudden't talk they'd surely explode with gr-rreat damage to surroundin' thought. But thank th' Lord when they get to a point when they can

think no longer without crackin', they blow out in poetry. Poetry is a kind of headache cure for a philosopher."

No Plus Ultra.
Mrs. Briday—Tomorrow will be George's birthday, and I've a lovely box of cigars—

Mrs. Oldenwells—O! I wouldn't have done that. It's a mistake for a woman to buy cigars for her husband unless she's careful to get the very best—

Mrs. Briday—O! But I was careful. I picked out a box called "Best Ever."

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Personally appeared before me, this February 28, 1908, R. D. MacMillan, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of January, 1908, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief. My commission expires January 10th, 1912.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

Daily Thought.

"The giving hand means more to the needy than the gift it bears."

In an all day debate in the Noreck school house, Ohio county, on the subject, "Resolved, that the night riders, under the circumstances, are justified," the night riders lost. Information has not yet reached here as to whether the judges' barns were burned that night.

At an "anybody but Taft" banquet in New York recently, there was "no candidate but Fairbanks" present.

FORESTRY AND THE FUTURE.

It is gratifying to observe a body of citizens, when the means of participating in a great patriotic movement is pointed out to them, entering on the work with zeal. The Paducah Forestry association is one of these, and the members, while they appreciate the startling significance of the report that our timber supply is rapidly being exhausted, and the truth of the declaration that floods, droughts and soil washing are produced by denuding the watersheds of their forest covering, are really taking part in a world wide ethical advance, hardly yet recognized.

Their part consists in concerted influence on our representative in congress to force him into co-operation with the policy of the administration to conserve our natural resources, in doing that they are learning one great lesson of citizenship. We are prone to look on our private engagements as engraving. We send representatives to Washington and it is their business to attend to governmental affairs; and yet, if we are indifferent or apathetic toward a measure, how better can they represent us than by manifesting the same apathy. If we are inert, they should be inert. Whenever there is anything wrong at Frankfort or Washington, we may be sure, it reflects something wrong in ourselves.

It is typically American not to think of the United States as an entity, the development of which as a whole must be uniform and consistent; but as a collection of units, each seeking its own advantage. The less governmental interference they could get along with, and the more room they had in which to exercise their freedom from restraint, the better all Americans of all times have liked it. The distaste for government is inherited with us. We are descendants from men who left comparatively comfortable European civilization for wilderness homes, in order that they might have more room and less restraint. The government was founded as a loose confederation, and jealousy was the first sentiment expressed by state toward state. Our theory of government and individual conduct have been similar.

The first settlers lived along the Atlantic coast with the vast continent stretching behind them into the unknown. Presently the mountain coves of Virginia and Pennsylvania were dotted with cabins, and then a few of the harder pioneers crept through the passes of the Appalachian mountains into the fertile valleys of Tennessee and Kentucky and into the northwest territory—always seeking room—more room. They spread out

and crossed the Mississippi and still the prairie hilled westward beyond the horizon. The Rocky mountains were crossed and the new empire of the west was founded. Waste, extravagance and recklessness have marked the advance of the American pioneer. Our resources seemed so boundless—our trees were in the way.

It is a disastrous heritage they left us. It will require a generation of the work such as the forestry association is doing, to correct a prenatal impulse to hack down trees. Today we observe the granite hills of New England abandoned by hardy cultivators of the wooden nutmegs; Ohio, Indiana and Illinois fast becoming populated with tenant farmers. The farmers of Kentucky and Tennessee are deserting for the new lands of the southwest. They can't raise corn-fed cattle on \$100 an acre farms, to compete with the cattle that find their own living on the free ranges. A man can't raise fifty acres of wheat to compete with the men, who raise thousands of acres on \$2 lands. They know nothing of crop rotation, scientific agriculture and the chemistry of soil, nor do they seem to realize that the growing cities offer a market for other products they can raise in abundance. It is ever for the wide country, the cheap land and the wasteful habits of their forefathers.

This is suggested to disabuse anyone's mind of the idea that the forestry movement is merely a method of encompassing the punishment of fraudulent land grabbers. The railroads in the northwest, the paper trusts in Maine and the turpentine trust in Georgia are doing just what every farmer does when he finds a tree in his way.

It is not to revenge wrongs done the state, nor is it designed to store up the standing forests against a day of famine as Joseph did with the grain in Egypt. It is rather the conserving of our natural resources and the increasing of our capacity in order that we may be able to enjoy the full measure of that greater prosperity of which the future holds forth golden promises.

We have presented to us by the inland waterways commission's preliminary report, the correlated policies of government, which combine the most commonplace business like management of our internal affairs with statecraft of the highest order. The development of a market for our wares in South America and in Asia is the work of the state department with its attendant delicate questions of international diplomacy, and the building up of an American merchant marine. In this policy the Panama canal plays an important part to lessen the length of haul, while the development of our internal waterways to their full carrying capacity to cheapen and facilitate the movement of the products of the great interior valley to the seashore is but a branch of the same great work. Related to this is the reforestation of the watershed to prevent droughts and floods and soil washing; the development of water power along these streams of commerce, to afford cheap power for the manufacture of articles of commerce; the conservation of our fuel, ore and timber supplies that raw material may not be wanting; and last of all the reclamation by irrigation of arid lands and the protection of public grazing lands. To insure plenty of cheap food for the vast industrial and commercial population certain to dwell along these highways of commerce. Is it not a wonderfully pleasing prospect? The realization will depend on how faithfully the forestry associations and kindred organizations persist in the work.

There comes a time in the history of every free people, when they take a distinct advance along ethical lines, or sink into that decline, the infallible index of national decay. We could not go along always in the slipshod methods of government that have marked our history thus far. Loose government is all right in a new country, where the people are scattered; but when they are crowded together uniformity is necessary to avoid clashing. That individual freedom possible when every man dwells on his own quarter section of land is not possible when two of them share the same city lot. There is a mutuality of interest in the latter case, that did not exist before; and today in national affairs Americans are face to face with a situation that confronts the whole country alike, and there is only one agency through which they can act in concert—the federal government.

The United States is entering the dawn of centralization—that thing so abhorrent to publicists of the old school like Henry Watterson, experience-bound and unimaginative, who cannot believe that it is a logical evolution, and not just a theory promulgated by some upstart politician. Centralization will not come in its party issue; it will not be promoted by its advocates, neither will it be deterred by the success of any party pledged to its prevention. It is the inevitable tendency of the times, and the duty of every true American is to see that he as a citizen does his part in shaping the government to meet conditions imposed by the evolution. There is anarchy pointing a bloody finger at the errors of government; there is riot and debauchery ahead in the course pursued by all ancient republics; there is socialism offering an illusive haven for the discouraged toiler—and here is a hand of healthy minded, patriotic Americans, lending a hand in the nation, taking an interest in the affairs that concern them, and prodding their neighbors into wakeful recognition of the needs of the hour.

To attend to the work of reforestation we require experts. When the canalization of the rivers is undertaken engineers will have full charge. Instead of awaiting the evangelization of the world to get rid of our political incubus, we shall outgrow our present system of politics and develop away from the politicians. Some day we shall have a national government of experts, and the good government at the top, exerting its influence downward, will in time reform the states, and then we shall have, not a group of units set at variance with each other and the Union, but subordinate political divisions co-ordinating with the supreme power for the good of all.

It is apparent that we have reached a crisis in national development, and the national character, that never yet has shown signs of weakness, is strong enough and self-reliant enough to pass the crisis in safety and put forth valiantly on a new era, that will surpass in glory and achievement anything the world has ever seen. In all times past the citizens have proven their valor in the battlefield; but now there is a call for another kind of patriotism; the patriotism that gives time from the consideration of private affairs for the consideration of the welfare of the nation. There is no cause for wonder in the looseness of party ties nowadays. The people of this nation are getting too big for party. No one can tell what form politics of the future will take, but whatever is to come will be better than what is; and it is not the part of good citizenship to criticize one's neighbors or deplore their inactivity; but to set an example in patriotism.

The Spoilers.

By REX E. BEACH.

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"Has any one seen McNamara?" No one had, and when they were later assembled to take stock of their injuries he was greeted by Dextery's gleeful announcement: "That's the dence of a fight. We ain't got so much as a cold sore among us."

"We have captured fourteen," another announced, "and there may be more out yonder in the brush."

Glenister noted with growing surprise that not one of the prisoners had been seen since they were taken. "What's up?" "Where are you going?" "To the Sign of the Sled," he panted. "We've stood by you, Glenister, and on can't quit us like this," said one, nervously. "The trail to town is good, and we'll take it if you do." Roy said they feared he was deserting, feared that he had heard some alarming rumor of which they did not know.

"We'll let the mine go, boys, for I can't ask you to do what I refuse to do myself, and yet it's not fear that's sending me. There's a woman in danger, and I must go. She courted ruin to save us all, risked her honor to try and right a wrong, and I'm afraid of what has happened while we were fighting here. I don't ask you to stay till I come back—it wouldn't be square, and you'd better go while you have a chance. As for me—I leave up the old claim once—I can do it again."

He swung himself to the horse's back, settled into the saddle and rode out through the line of belted men.

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"Mr. Dooley's" Denunciation of Instinct.
"Mr. Dooley" is now writing exclusively for The American Magazine. In the March number he discusses philosophers, McEntee, of Chicago, is the cartoonist. Here is "Dooley's" definition of instinct: "What is instinct? It is the natural tendency to win when filled with dignity to turn to his wife."

The most wasteful thing in this world is selfish economy.

Do You Think For Yourself?

Dr. do you open your mouth like a young bird and gulp down whatever food or medicine may be offered you?

Let an intelligent thinking woman, in need of relief from weakness, nervousness, pain and suffering, then it means much to you that there is one tried and true home medicine, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, sold by druggists for the cure of women's ills.

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Glenister hurried to the building, which had escaped the shock of the explosion, and, taking down the receiver, was answered by Cherry Malotte. "Thank God, you're safe!" she began. "The men have just come in and the whole town is awake over the riot. They say you've killed ten people in the fight. Is it true?"

He explained to her briefly that all was well, but she broke in: "Wait, wait! McNamara has called for troops and you'll all be shot. Oh, what a terrible night it has been! I haven't been to bed. I'm going mad. Now, listen carefully: Yesterday Helen went with Struve to the Sign of the Sled and she hasn't come back."

The men at the end of the wire cried out at this, then choked back his words to hear what followed. His free hand began making strange, futile motions as though he traced patterns in the air. "I can't raise the roadhouse on the wire and—something dreadful has happened I know."

"What made her go?" he shouted. "To save you," came Cherry's faint reply. "If you love her, ride fast to the Sign of the Sled or you'll be too late. The Brown Kid has gone there."

At that moment Roy crushed the instrument to his hook and burst out of the shanty, calling loudly to his men.

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You'll notice our hats are always "classy"--their exact duplicate is never found elsewhere.

Realizing this, men who pay attention welcome these hat announcements with much pleasure.

Unusual value at the price, backed by our dependable guarantee, the satisfaction of knowing when it comes from us it's right, have been factors that have built our hat department to it's large proportions in a short space.

Some very choice fabrics in imported woollens, tailored unusually good, distinctive clothes production modes for spring, are in. They've been placed in the clothing cabinets, ready to try on. You might be interested in seeing them early.



EQUITY GROWERS

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as the 1906 crop, but is considered to be just as good in texture. The association prices of 7 to 9 cents for lugs and 10 to 25 cents for leaf is about a two cent advance over last year's prices, but the tobacco will not grade as high and the average price the farm or receiver will be about the same as last year.

A large amount of tobacco is being delivered to the pricing houses and dealers today, though not nearly so much as yesterday and the day before.

Salesman Hood has been a busy man the past week and reports the sales of thirty hogsheds of association tobacco for the past week. Twenty hogsheds of leaf were sold at prices ranging from \$19 to \$12, and ten hogsheds of lugs at \$7 and \$8. He expects to sell more the coming week.—Murray Ledger.

The following appears in the Murray Ledger: "I desire to make known to the general public through the columns of the Ledger that I have sold my last crop of tobacco outside the association, and in the future and as soon as I can will pledge the remainder of the crop I now have and may grow. I reached this decision some time ago, as is well known, and I deemed it only right and proper that a public statement should be made. Respectfully, J. B. HURT."

Fifty Hogsheds Received at Cadiz. The Cadiz Record says: "Fifty hogsheds of tobacco have been received at the Cadiz Storage house, and it is coming in now at the rate of five to eight hogsheds per day."

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Radishes, large, per bunch	5c
Southern Head Lettuce, 4c	
Spring Onions, 2 bunches	5c
Tomatoes, new, per doz.	30c
Bell Peppers, per doz.	30c
Cauliflower, per head	20c
Spring Beans, per qt.	20c
Spring Peas, per qt.	20c
Egg Plant, 2	30c
Large Celery, 5c and 10c	
Parsley, per bunch	5c
Scout Ranch	5c
Spauld Mackerel, per lb.	20c
Corned Beef, per lb.	15c
Red Snapper, per lb.	15c
Corned Beef, per lb.	12 1/2c
Oysters and Shellfish	
Smoked White Fish	25c
Fla. Oranges per doz.	25c
Apples, per doz.	25c, 30c
Lemons, per doz.	14c
Bananas, per doz.	10c
Kumquats, per box	40c
Cranberries, per qt.	12 1/2c

Turkeys, Ducks, Spring Chickens, Hens and Extra Fancy Meats of all kinds.

THE LOCAL NEWS

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.
 —For sale for real estate agents for sale at this office.
 —Mr. H. C. Hollins has left the city for a few months, and I have acquired an interest in his business and shall look after it for him. Any information with reference to any branch of it will receive prompt attention if you will call up The Sun office. Both phones 353. E. J. Paxton.
 —Dr. Warner, veterinarian. Treatment of domestic animals. Both phones 124.
 —We can give you the finest carpenter in the city for wedding, ball and theater calls. Our prices are lower than those charged for like service in any city in America. Our service is second to none, and the best in this city. Palmer Transfer Company.
 —The New York World advance for 1928 just received at R. D. Clements & Co.

—No good just in. Reddick's painting work of all kinds. Painting, repairing, rubber tires, etc. Spring wagons made to order. We are offering special inducements for early orders. Sexton Sign Works. Phone 101.

—The high ground clearing sale of books and music begins tomorrow at D. E. Wilson.

—For sale: rubber, door plate, brass, brass, brass and aluminum checks of all kinds, rubber type slugs, markers. See The Diamond Stamp Works, 115 South Third. Phone 378.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our carriers or make the request direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

—If you want a new lawn sowing machine, see the new sowing machine that grows. Benson's Flower Shop, 529 Broadway.

—We are now offering the "Lion and the Mouse" for 50 cents. D. E. Wilson.

—Spoked Habbit, Red Seal Shredded Cabbage, Shamrock Brick Coffee, the genuine Milwaukee Beer, the fine fat, Lilly White Mackerel, those large heavy, thick, brilliant Mackerel, Skin-

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 4th and Broadway
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IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Attractive Musicals for the Coming Week.

Mrs. Will Gilbert and Mrs. Charles Richardson, of the Grace church guild, have arranged an attractive musical evening for Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gilbert, 2603 Jefferson boulevard. The program will include some of Paducah's most delightful musical talent. Some of the features are: Recitations from the opera of "Madam Butterfly," by Mrs. Will Gilbert. Piano numbers by Misses Lula Reed and Marie O'Brien. Vocal solos by Miss Annie Handshoven. Mr. Everett Thompson and Mr. Richard Scott. There is no charge for admission but a free-will offering will be received.

Missionary Society Meets Tomorrow.
 The Junior Warden Missionary society of the Broadway Methodist church will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Miss Adine Morton, 612 Broadway. Election of officers and other business of importance, and all the members are urged to be present.

Pleasant Card Party.
 Misses Minnie and Vera Wilson were the hostesses of the J. N. O. F. club at their home, 215 Farley street, Thursday evening. Tasty refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening was spent. Those present were: Misses Minnie and Vera Wilson, Edith Marsh, Lottie Lofton, Augusta Ingram, Eunice Quinlan, Ruby McDonald, Mae Hengen, Misses Sissy Howard, Aerial Simmons, Virginia Cooper, Myrtle Cooper, Evelyn Quinlan.

Mrs. Augusta Rogers, of Broad street, will leave tomorrow to visit friends in Tiptonville, Tenn.

Mrs. W. C. Wagner and daughter Gladys, of Princeton, were visiting in the city yesterday.

Miss Mable Bitts, of Owensboro, has come to the city to accept a position in the J. A. Rudy & Sons' dry goods store.

A fine 12 pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Veach, of Campbell street, last night.

Mr. O. P. Lawford went to Chicago on business today.

Charles Barnett, son of R. L. Barnett, is ill with the grip at the New Richmond Hotel.

Mr. W. R. Gaffin, an architect from Cairo, is in the city on business.

Mr. W. E. Pray, a merchant of Kentucky, is in the city buying goods.

Miss A. D. Ray is ill with the grip at her home, 718 South Ninth street.

Judge R. T. Lightfoot and Attorney W. A. Berry left today for Evansville, Ind., to take depositions.

Sherriff John W. Ogilvie and his deputy, John Ogilvie, have returned from Frankfort, where the sheriff made a settlement with And for James and received his quarters for the past year.

Mr. R. L. Barnett went to Smithland today on business.

Mr. Elmus Hede, of Murray, was in the city this morning.

Mr. Charles Horton has returned from St. Louis, where he went to accompany his wife, who was operated upon at the Ellen Osborne hospital Sunday.

Miss Horton stood the operation nicely and is convalescing rapidly. She will probably be in St. Louis a month.

Mr. Henry Rudy has returned from New York City.

Mrs. J. O. Jones will leave tomorrow for Jackson, Tenn., to reside.

Miss Hal S. Corbett, 322 North Eighth street, is convalescing from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Col. John Theobald, of the May-

field road, who is ill of pneumonia, is improving slowly.

Mr. John Ittrott, of the Mayfield road, is seriously ill of pneumonia.

Mrs. Michael Knowles, 415 Kentucky avenue, is ill of throat trouble, but she is improved today.

Miss Nona Bauer, of Golconda, passed through the city today en route to New Orleans.

Misses Florence Carey and Edith Hill, of Cairo, arrived today on a visit to Miss Louise Jones, of North Seventh street.

Mr. B. H. Alvey, of Louisville, is visiting his sister, Mrs. James Glander, and brother, Dr. W. E. Alvey.

Miss Louise Savage, of Jackson, Tenn., has returned home after a visit to her sister, Mrs. M. E. Dodd, of North Fifth street.

Mr. Hal Thomas, of Golconda, returned home today after a business trip in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Leibel and Miss Anna Bauer left last night for New Orleans to attend Mardi Gras.

NEWS OF COURTS

Chancery Court.

A judgment of the court was filed in the action of Harvey Rice against L. E. Rowland, the court ordering a deed made to property purchased from R. Rowland, deceased.

Marriage License.
 Frank Brown and Eva Myers.
 W. H. Malone and M. A. Baker.
 W. B. Jones and Mary Hawkins.

STRANGE CAREERS

OF PRINCE OF CONFIDENCE MEN IS REPORTED.

Duke of Otranto Dies in Poverty in Milan After a Life of Romance.

George Manolescu, alias the Duke of Otranto, alias Prince Lahovary, alias any other name that for the time being suited him in his life's effort to live on the work of others, is dead at Milan.

Montreal is chiefly interested in him because of his failure of weeks of struggle to get anything in the shape of currency beyond a few dollars which he borrowed from newly made friends when it was seen that the man was really in need. Otherwise all he got was a little attention as the result of his misnomers that he was in Canada representing a Venetian newspaper, and that he intended to make a feature of the Canadian Northwest in the stories he was about to write.

This was about four years ago, and though at that time he had spent several terms in European prisons and had been living from his early manhood by swindles of many characters, nothing of the kind was suspected by those he met here.

Even after he left Montreal and rumors reached those who best knew him, there were many who refused to believe that he was a swindler of international reputation. At last, however, all doubt was removed by the news from Europe that he had published his memoirs and that in these he had admitted that his life had been spent in swindling. The book was entitled "A Prince of Thieves," and was a full and frank recital of the story of his life, names of places and people being given at frequent intervals. It dealt, however, only with the fortunate period up to 1901, and contained no account of his wanderings in Canada and the United States.

Manolescu was an exceedingly good looking man; a splendid figure and a disposition that assisted him materially in getting into the good graces of all who came in contact with him, both men and women.

He was 30 years of age at the time of his death. He was the son of a Roumanian army officer, and as a youth ran away from a naval academy and went to Constantinople. He soon absconded with the pocketbook of the prize beauty of the Pasha's harem. He was arrested across the Greek frontier and attempted suicide. He was taken to a hospital, where the handsome youth, attracted the attention of Queen Olga, who was visiting the sick. She procured his release and gave him

money enough to take him home. He left Roumania the second time as a stowaway on a grain steamer and reached Paris. He soon stole enough to set up a large villa in the fashionable quarter and drove his own carriage on the Bois de Boulogne and raced his horses at Longchamps.

Justice overtook him and he was sent to jail. When he was released from prison four or five years later he visited London and Monte Carlo and came to Canada, leaving here for San Francisco, where he posed as the nephew of the Spanish Minister at Washington. Thence he went to Japan and afterward to Honolulu, where he fled a rich widow. From Honolulu he went to Chicago, where he became engaged to the daughter of a millionaire. He returned to London and got eight months' hard labor for stealing jewelry from hotels. After he went to Brussels, where he resented a rich Brazilian from a gang of ruffians and escorted him to a hotel, picking his pockets of \$10,000 while on the way. A short visit to Monte Carlo as the Duke of Otranto netted him \$20,000, and he was a rich Hungarian widow. After serving another sentence in jail for a hotel robbery at Nice, he visited Italy, where he met the Countess Angella von Konigsbruck, a member of one of the most distinguished Saxon families. Posing as a wealthy Roumanian land owner, he married her in Genoa. The marriage took place before a fashionable audience and was performed by the Archbishop of Genoa. The bride's large dowry was exhausted during the honeymoon. A child was born to the couple in Switzerland.

After a duel with the brother of another lady the adventurer came to America again and returned to Paris as the Prince Lahovary, talking with him the proceeds of a jewelry robbery in Philadelphia. Subsequently he went to Berlin and proposed to an American lady. Incidentally, he ran-sacked the hotel bedrooms. When the relatives of the lady demanded financial guarantees the Prince was arrested for robbery at Genoa. He was tried in Berlin. He shammed insanity and deceived the experts completely, so that he was sent to an asylum. He escaped from this institution after gagging and binding the warden.

Manolescu next returned to Italy, married a rich French woman, and set-d down to write his memoirs. He was suffering, he said, from an incurable disease and only regretted that he had to leave his "angel of a wife and two pearls of children."

The Countess von Konigsbruck obtained a divorce from him in the Italian courts. Philadelphia Ledger.

In the last act of "Barbon" the reception to the king, little La Verne, the 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Purcell, will dance the liberty dance in a red, white and blue costume. Little Miss Caroline Mather will dance the Spanish dance, and Miss Claire St. John, the tumbler-dancer. The directors will introduce the "Island Dance" danced by six couples of young people, and Mr. Frank Cheek will sing "A Jolly Old Monk" in costume.

REMEMBERED ALL BARBERS.
 Man's Will Bequeaths \$500 to Every One in Town and to Several in Boston.

Worcester, Mass.—Barbers came into their own today, when the will of Eugene V. R. Thayer, a millionaire politician of Massachusetts, was probated. He left an estate valued at about \$3,000,000, and of this \$300,000 was bequeathed to every barber in Worcester who has been located here a year.

The same amount is also left to all of the barbers in the principal hotels in Boston, where Mr. Thayer was accustomed to stop, and a sum of \$50,000 is set aside to be held in trust for poor and needy barbers.

All told, the bequests are expected to affect about 200 barbers, and there is all sorts of scurrying around tonight among the barbers to show a yearly residence in the city.

—The ladies in charge of "Barbon" have been persuaded to have a matinee Saturday afternoon at The Kentucky at 2 o'clock. Price 50c for adults and 35c for children.

FOR RENT

Rooms over Lendler & Lydon, now occupied by Dr. Stumper. Possession March 1, 1908.

LENDLER & LYDON

ENGLERT AND BRYANT SPECIALS....

Country Hams, per lb	13 1/2c
Wine Sap Apples, per peck	25c
Home made Lard in lbs.	\$1.00
Home made Lard 5 lbs. for	50c
Florida Sweet Oranges, per dozen	15c
2 lbs. fresh Soda Crackers for	25c
Fresh Cheese, per lb	20c
2 pkgs. Pan Cake Flour for	25c
2 lbs. Texas Peas for	25c
2 1/2 lb cans Tomatoes for	20c
Patent Flour, per sack	75c
Half Patent Flour, per sack	70c
3 lb can Asparagus for	35c
Pancake Flour, per lb	10c
Seeded Raisins, per pk	10c
Fresh Country Eggs, per dozen	17 1/2c
3 cans Golden Glow Siring Beans	25c
Package Currants for	19c
3 1-lb cans Hi Lo Baking Powder	25c

The Great Power of 10 CENTS

Is shown with great force in the list of articles shown below to be sold at Hart's Saturday, 29th.

12 pkgs. Carpet Tacks,
 Bed Casters,
 White Wash Brushes,
 100 Slate Pencils,
 10 Inch Mill Files,
 9 Inch Granite Pie Pans,
 Paper Files,
 Tack Hammers,
 Paint Brushes,
 Claw Hammers,
 1 doz. Coat and Hat Hooks,
 Shoe Brushes,
 Hatchets,
 Shoe Hammers,
 Glass Pitchers,
 Work Baskets,
 Fruit Stands,
 Fruit Bows,

Dust Pans,
 8 qt. Milk Pails,
 3 qt. Coffee Pots,
 Nutmeg graters,
 Tin Pudding Pans,
 Granite Pudding Pans,
 Granite Milk Pans, white lined,
 11 qt. Covered Buckets,
 Japanned Trays,
 10 qt. Galv. Pails,
 Curry Combs,
 Birdie Bits,
 10 qt. Dish Pans,
 Syrup Stands,
 Lemon Squeezers,
 10 Clothes Pins,
 Granite Cake Pans,

Hard to believe that such valuable articles can be sold for 10c.

GEO. O. HART & SONS CO.

Incorporated.

WANT ADS.

Subscribers inserting want ads in The Sun will kindly remember that all such items are to be paid for when the ad is inserted, the rule applying to every one without exception.

FOR dry wood, old phone 2361.
 ROOMS for light housekeeping, 213 Madison.

FOR heating and stove wood ridge 437. P. Levin.
 FOR RENT—Two rooms, 1216 Clay.

BUY your coal of C. M. Cagle. Best lump 12c at yards. New phone 975.
 FOR SALE—Hugby horse. New phone 1464.

WANTED—One second-hand roller, ton desk in good condition. Call either phone 1563.

STRAYED—Small three-year-old bay mare, unbroken. Old phone 1491.
 FOR RENT—Cottage, Sixth and Adams. Sewerage connection. Old phone 2791.

FURNITURE—Reupholstered, repaired and bought at 205 South Third New Phone 3624.

FOR RENT—Barber shop or fixtures separate. Fifth and Jackson. Phone 222.

J. E. MORGAN horse shoeing, general repairing, rubber tires, 403 South Third.

LEAVE orders for tree trimming and pruning. Carpenter repair work. New phone 142.

NOTICE—Before selling your furniture and stoves see Brooks Bros. for best prices. 221 Kentucky avenue.

FOR RENT—One nice room with bath, etc., 626 Kentucky Avenue.

FOR SALE—Two bull terrier pups two months old. Apply 2001 Jefferson street.

RELIABLE MAN—Earn \$5 daily in spare time as district manager; largest advertising company, and learn business wherein competitors make \$10,000 yearly. No canvassing. Rodkin, department 249, Chicago.

CIGAR salesman wanted. Experience unnecessary. \$100 per month and expenses. Peerless Cigar Co., Toledo, Ohio.

TO EXCHANGE—A 16-horsepower five passenger automobile, in good condition, fully equipped. What have you to offer. Address Auto, care Sun.

FOR SALE—20-foot motor boat made of clear white oak, 3 to 5 horsepower engine. Only used a few times. Cash or on time. Speed 23, care Sun.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with bath, 427 Clark. Phone 1424, old.

H. P. ROCK—Eggs for sale \$1.00 per setting. Apply 1214 Bernheim avenue.

YOUR CLOTHES will always look like new if cleaned and pressed by James Duffy, South Ninth near Broadway. Phone 338-a.

FOR RENT—A three-room cottage on Tennessee street between Seventh and Eighth. Apply to W. D. Greer, 321 North Fifth.

WANTED—First-class young man stenographer. Must operate Oliver typewriter. Address H. Snyder drawer P, Paducah.

SOLOMON The tailor, has removed to 522 Broadway under Truheart building, where he would be pleased to show you his new line of spring samples.

FOR RENT—My furnished house for six months. W. L. Hainerd, 506 Washington street.

FOR SALE—One two-story frame house at 526 Harnahan blv. Modern improvements. Cheap for cash. Address M. H. Austin, 116 North Sixteenth street.

FOR SALE—Five room cottage on 50 foot lot, corner 27th and Broadway. It can sell at once will take \$1,800 cash. Call and see it. J. H. Dugger.

YOUNG MEN to prepare for examination for railway and other government positions. Superior instruction by mail. Established 14 years. Thousands of successful students. Sample questions and "How Government Positions Are Secured" sent free. Interstate Schools, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Peter's Congratulations.
 A Confederate veteran met his former body-guard on the road.

"Is that you Peter?" he called to the old negro who was grinning as he doffed his hat.

"Yes, sah, dis am I!"
 "Well, well!" laughed the other. "I see that all the old fools are not dead yet."

"Dat's so, Mars' Tom." Peter pulled his grizzled forelock appreciatively.

"I see monss glad to see dat you's in such good health, sah."—Lippincott's.

"You always seem to be on the losing side at election time, George?"
 "Yes, I generally have to eat crow."

"Well, the next time you eat it, dear, save the feathers for my spring hat, won't you, please?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Fire departments Nos. 2 and 4 were called to the residence of John Rogers, 1158 Broadway, this morning by a line that was burning out. The blaze was extinguished before damage of more than a few dollars was done.

Miss Mary Bailey, 421 South Fourth street, is recovering from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. J. W. Keller left this afternoon for Cullman, Ala., to attend the bedside of Dr. B. W. Kinney, who is seriously ill.

The Union Co-Operative Grocery

Cor. 10th & Broadway
 New Phone 1233

18 lbs Granulated Sugar	\$1.00
3 lbs Evaporated Apples	35c
3 lbs Evap. Peaches	40c
3 lbs. Prunes	25c
2 3-lb cans Tomatoes	23c
3 cans Sugar Corn	25c
2 cans good Table peaches	25c
3 cans Pineapple	25c
24 lb sack Omega Flour	35c
12 lbs. 1b for nice Hams	12c
6 bars Star Soap	25c
6 bars Big Deal Soap	25c
6 bars Money Worth Soap	25c
3 bottles Mixed Pickles	25c
3 bottles Hoffman House Catsup	25c
3 lbs. Navy Beans	18c
3 lbs Rice	18c
2 lbs Mackerel	15c
1 lb pk. Quakers Oats	5c
1 bushel Meal	75c
6 cans Evaporated Milk	25c
3 pkgs. Chamberlain Flakes	25c
Honey	25c



Constipation Ruins Health

You can't be constipated and healthy. Constipation is the arch enemy of health. It causes more sickness than any other condition. It is the forerunner of appendicitis, blood diseases, skin diseases; it makes you more quickly liable to colds, malaria, pneumonia and fever diseases. It is far from the trifling ill that many unthinking people believe it is. One often hears the expression, "It'd be all right if it wasn't for my stomach." Most assuredly. The majority of mankind would be in nearly perfect health if it wasn't for constipation or dyspepsia. But knowing its dangers the thing of next importance is to fight it. The greatest foe of constipation is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It was designed for that very purpose. Thousands of individuals and families are using it to fight the ailments of the stomach, liver and bowels. The cure it has made prove it to be a wonderful remedy in constipation even of the most obstinate nature, and every constipated person should use it and know from personal experience what it will do.

Cured by Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

I received a gun shot wound in '81 while in the army which caused a partial paralysis of the bowels and from that time to the present I have had to use a laxative. I have tried a great many kinds of medicines in that time but have never found any as effective or that has been as near natural as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

JOHN AMERICAN, Decatur, Ill.

I have used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and consider it invaluable as a tonic and aid to impaired stomach and digestive organs. Your remedy provides health and happiness and should be in every household.

W. H. HANLEY, National Bank Receiver, Washington, D. C.

I want to say a word for Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. A word that I can say for I cannot express all that I think of it. I have used it for years and it has saved my life in April, 1902, after a bad case of kidney trouble. The doctor told me I could not live and was in such condition that even the most severe remedies given me were a failure, but Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin entirely cured me. I wish to say to my friends that they should not fail to use Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. When I was sick I weighed 135 pounds and now weigh 170 pounds.

HARRY H. CHAPMAN, Decatur, Ill.

I have had stomach troubles for twenty years and was in bad health when I commenced taking Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Everything I ate distressed me. I have taken these bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and am still using it. I have no more trouble in my stomach, have a good appetite, eat anything I want and work every day.

G. H. HICKORY, Assessor, Perry township, Allen Co., Indiana.

Enclosed please find P. O. order in payment of my last bill, and you may send me by freight four more bottles of Syrup Pepsin, fifty-cent size. Send this order at once, for I think they are eating it up. They are here around here.

S. H. HONK, Metairie, La.

I am recommending your valuable Syrup Pepsin to all my friends in this community and others that wish an inviolable remedy for dyspepsia and constipation.

G. A. FISCHER, Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, Mexico.

Cured by Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

One can never tell what day some member of the family will become constipated or have indigestion, jaundice, bloated stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, bad breath, flatulency, lazy liver, weak stomach, sick headache or some other ailment affecting the stomach, liver or bowels, and then Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will instantly be needed, as it is sure to cure these diseases. It is sold under a positive guarantee to do what is claimed for it or money will be refunded. It is easy to take because pleasant to the taste, is gentle in action but promptly effective, and entirely free from the griping so common in salts, purgative waters and cathartic pills, tablets or powders. It is for that reason the best remedy for children, old men, women, old people, invalids and others. Go to your drug store today and get a 50-cent or \$1 bottle under the guarantee. Complete directions are on every bottle.

FREE TEST Those wishing to try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin before buying can have a free sample bottle sent to their home by addressing the company. This offer is to prove to you that the remedy will do as we claim, and that those who have never taken it, send for it if you have any symptoms of stomach, liver or bowel disease. One test yet more effective for children, women and old people. A guarantee, permanent home cure. THE PUBLIC VERDICT: "Laxative for children, women and old people." Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, 100 West Washington, D. C. Address **PEPSIN SYRUP CO., 107 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill.**

\$2,782,293

THE ASSESSED VALUE OF TRIGG COUNTY FOR 1906.

Increase of \$97,643—Every Item Increased—1,121 Dots Are Listed For Taxation.

Cadiz, Ky., Feb. 28.—(County Clerk) Wallis has just completed a tabulation of the taxable wealth of the county for 1906 as reported by the assessor. The grand total for taxation is \$2,782,293, an increase of \$97,643 over last year. The different items show lands, \$1,769,633; town lots, \$312,723; money and credits, \$331,817; personal property, \$751,522. With the exemptions, \$393,442, taken from these items, the total of \$2,782,293 is left subject to taxation. Every item given above shows an increase over the assessed value of last year. The total number of dots listed for taxation is

1,121, a falling off of about five hundred over last year.

SENATEMEN IN FRANCHISE BILL

People's Party Warns Against Measure in Congress.

Washington, Feb. 28.—In a bulletin just issued by the "People's Lobby," it is asserted that the "franchise bill," as practiced by financiers in municipalities, is in process of reconstruction along national lines.

"It is proposed by Senator Crane, of Massachusetts, and Representative Mondell, of Wyoming," says the bulletin, "that congress shall grant location and rights of way for electric and other power purposes through the public lands and reservations of the United States. The vicious bill, if enacted into law, would create intolerable monopolies."

"A number of bills on this subject have been introduced in congress, but the franchise grabbers have concentrated on the bill fathered by Senator Crane in the senate and by Representative Mondell in the house."

But the trouble-laboring germ is about the worst.

PATENT OFFICE HAS A SCANDAL

Inventor, Examiner and Attorney Under Arrest.

Records Were Stolen From Office for Purpose of Favoring Inventor and Improving His Work.

WAS VALUED AT \$5,000,000.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Ned W. Barton, assistant examiner of the patent office, Henry E. Everding, patent attorney, of Philadelphia, and John A. Heany, of York, Pa., an inventor, were indicted by the grand jury and arrested on a charge of destroying public records. Bail was fixed at \$10,000.

The indictment charges that the three "with intent to steal and destroy," carried away from the patent office letters, specifications and amendments, and unlawfully and wilfully destroying them. The indictment sets forth that on September 2, 1905, there was on file an application by Heany for a patent on an invention for manufacturing filaments and electrodes for electric incandescent and arc lamps.

These were filed January 15, 1905. With the application were other papers and specifications and a letter dated March 28, 1905, addressed to Heany, bearing the stamped signature of Commissioner of Patents Allen. Acting Examiner Cowles of "division 37" of which Barton was examiner, and Assistant Examiner Day. The amendments to the application was filed in July, 1905. Papers in this case were destroyed according to the indictment.

The arrests brought to light a scandal which has been under investigation since early in February and which revolves around an invention valued at more than \$5,000,000. The investigation was made upon the information that as a result of the conspiracy John A. Heany had been given a patent on an invention for manufacturing filaments and electrodes for electric incandescent lamps.

The facts disclosed by the investigation were of such character that they were presented to the grand jury. It is alleged that through connivance with Ned W. Barton, Heany and Everding out-rivaled more than twenty of the largest electrical concerns in the country, striving to get the same patent.

All these concerns had filed applications for the patent, but from time to time Barton, it is charged, would see specifications and employ what ever he desired for perfecting Heany's invention. To be successful in this plan it was necessary to destroy certain records and file substitutes therefor. Secretary Garfield after a conference with Commissioner Moore, called upon District Attorney Baker last Friday and the latter immediately presented the case to the grand jury.

Subpoenas were issued Monday directing Barton, Heany and Everding to appear before the grand jury and this afternoon the indictments were returned before Justice Stanford in the criminal court and bench warrants at once issued and the men arrested. Justice Stanford fixed bail for the defendants at \$10,000.

Late today they were still making efforts to procure bondsmen. Barton was much broken in spirits. The other two did not view the predicament seriously. All said that they cared not to make any statement other than the fact that their innocence of the charges would be proven.

-KNIGHT OF THE GRIP-

Tells Story of Singing Mouse at Paducah, Ark.

Says the Cairo Bulletin: "The episodes of the night riders in Kentucky is not the only problem that is annoying the mind of Col. T. E. Holland, a popular knight of the grip of Paducah. He has lost the confidence of his wife, who accuses him of carrying a pack of Arkansas yams. 'The whole condition of lost confidence was brought about by 'Jodie' the singing mouse, whose home is at Paducah, Ark., in a small cage in the store of J. C. Crowell, of that place. Col. Holland goes to Paducah regularly and always drops in on Mr. Crowell's place to listen to the warblings of the little rodent, just to convince himself that he is not laboring under a hallucination. He likes to tell his customers on his route about his experiences but it seems that every time he mentions the singing mouse he is greeted with fly grins and winks."

"Col. Holland was in Cairo yesterday and called upon Mr. Lewis, of the Lewis Mercantile company. He proceeded to tell Mr. Lewis the yarn and that gentleman laughed long and loud and exclaimed 'good joke!' But he was surprised when the colonel produced 'the papers' and convinced him beyond a reasonable doubt that such a freak as the singing mouse really existed."

"Mr. Holland told Mr. Lewis that he was almost positive that E. M. McGroder, the Cairo calendar man, who covers the same territory, and with whom Mr. Lewis has had some dealings, was in Paducah last night and that he would be prepared to substantiate his story when he comes back to this city next week."

"Not only does the little rodent sing very sweetly but he has also become so tame that he will come to the call of all visitors and seems to be absolutely fearless of strangers. Holland says that the little freak can execute some measures that would be a credit to a professional canary bird."

MORE OF GLADY'S GOLD GOES.

Transfer of \$2,000,000 in Bonds to Hungary Applied For.

New York, Feb. 28.—Attorneys for the Countess Szechenyi today applied to Comptroller Metz for the transfer of \$2,000,000 in city bonds, which were left to the former Gladys Vanderbilt by her father, from this city to Buda-Pest, Hungary. A formal transfer paper will be forwarded by the comptroller to a banking institution in the Hungarian capital, where the interest, amounting to \$70,000 yearly, will be sent.

Several weeks after the marriage of Miss Vanderbilt to the count it was announced that she would take \$5,000,000 of her fortune with her when she sailed. Subsequently this amount was placed to the credit of the Szechenyis in a Hungarian bank. The transfer of the bonds today provided that they should be held by the Hungarian bank in her name.

No mention was made of the count in the transfer application. When the countess became of age several months ago she came into an inheritance estimated at between \$12,000,000 and \$15,000,000. All of her stocks and bonds, it is said, will be transferred to Hungary.

Never Saw a Train.

Bardwell, Ky., Feb. 28.—Aunt Mary Sims, past eighty years of age, died this morning of the infirmities incident to old age. She had never been to Bardwell, although she had lived within four miles of town. She had never seen a railroad train, and had never seen or heard a piano or organ, though she was possessed of all her senses.

Police After Fred Starks.
The police are trying to locate Fred Starks, who has been missing several months. John Neff, of Tusculum, Ala., has asked the aid of the police in looking for the man. Starks is described as 31 years old, 5 feet 9 inches high, light complexion, and has a scar under the right jaw. Neff says that Starks came to Paducah last year to get a houseboat, and since then he has heard nothing from him.

American Express Company Sale of Unclaimed Property!

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the property, as per list below, now remaining, unclaimed or otherwise, in the offices of the American Express Company at different points in the state of Kentucky, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at Paducah, Ky., on the seventh day of March next, unless the same shall be called for and all charges paid thereon. Sale will be continued until all packages are sold.

A. F. LAGERWALL, Agent, Paducah, Ky.
J. W. ROSS, Supt. Mo. Division.

Superintendent's Office, St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 12, 1906.

ARLINGTON—C. H. Inbaly; Milburn Wagon Co., Milburn, Ky.; Mrs. E. S. Robertson, Milburn, Ky.; E. Smith; Dr. C. D. Shelby, Cunningsham, Ky.; J. S. Silvers.

BEAVER DAM—J. D. Baughn, Rochester, Ky.; S. H. Beecher, Herschell, Ky.; Mary J. Chapman, Hartford, Ky.; J. O. Carson, Morgantown, Ky.; W. P. Drake, Morgantown, Ky.; Nona Gardner, Pratt Whitney Co., Hartford, Ky.; W. A. Pendley & Co., Hunbar, Ky.; E. E. Rogers, W. S. Spencer, Cromwell, Ky.; J. D. Stewart, Huda, Ky.; G. Schultz, R. Taylor, Union Ex. Co.; J. S. Vertrees, P. A. Walker, Boxville, Ky.; C. B. Ward, Williams & Co.

BIG CLEFTY—Curtis Kefauver; J. A. Pence (2); B. Quesen; D. Richardson; Sam Terry (2).

BLACKFORD—City Hotel, R. Hilliard; J. W. Picketts; J. E. Stephens; W. J. White.

BOAZ—E. S. Chenault; F. Dupree; Dr. J. L. Richardson; H. H. A. Redwine; T. Thompson.

CADIZ—A. Alexander; W. E. Alexander, Rock Castle, Ky.; Y. Cunningham; B. Cunningham, Linton, Ky.; Mrs. M. E. Cunningham, Canton, Ky.; T. H. Gaines; H. Greenwood; C. L. Hancock; Mrs. L. Holloway; W. C. Hill, Canton, Ky.; Joe Lancaster; N. Mitchell; L. H. Pittman; C. R. Roper, Rock Castle, Ky.; Mary Roach, W. L. Redd, Trigg Furnace, Ky.; W. J. Simmons; J. P. Thomas; H. C. Wallis, Rinaldo, Ky.

CALVERT—Jake Gilegs; J. C. Noble (2); Smith & Atwood, Little Cypress, Ky.; O. L. Vick, Smithland, Ky.

CANEYVILLE—L. N. Evans, Campbell, Ky.; C. F. French, Sanfish, Ky.; News (2).

CECELEA—E. Young; Mrs. H. Wright, Hawes Valley, Ky.; L. H. Tomlinson; Peterson & Son.

CENTRAL CITY—T. G. Morgan; C. E. Shuttler; Miss A. Thompson; Mary Wilson.

CLINTON—E. Bazzell, Democrat (2); T. M. Edward; Lee Johnson; T. B. Kennedy; J. W. Morris; J. M. Nabb; E. O'wale; W. Pittman; O. Piercy; H. F. Sullivan; F. J. Wright.

CORYDON—H. L. Bethel; Rev. T. Barker; H. L. Penley; S. Griffin; E. S. King; H. Lipscomb; A. Miller.

CARYNE—H. Jacobs.

CUTCHFIELD—J. H. Gosney, Alexandria, Ky.; Pub. Town Talk, Alexander, Ky.

DAWSON—W. F. Alexander; Bell Bros.; S. B. Burroughs; T. E. Brower; W. H. Boone; G. Baker; H. Burton; A. Kapp, Macedonia, Ky.; J. Calvert; S. B. Carlson; Day Bros.; W. H. Franklin; J. H. Hogan; M. Jackson; Ky. Hill Power Co.; M. Lunn; J. S. McKnight; E. J. Mahoney; Dronnon Springs, Ky.; A. M. McGowan, Clazton, Ky.; J. McKnight; W. C. Sisk; A. G. Sweeney.

DEKOVAN—C. Keown.

DIXON—J. W. Bruce; E. W. Henry Geo. Hubbard.

EAST VIRW—C. Buller; Tichenor & Buckles; M. C. Henderson; Joe Stewart.

EDDYVILLE—J. B. Bales; Bonner & Nonlin, Carmack, Ky.; Jack Bean, Mont. Ky.; C. T. Ray, Mont. Ky.; J. M. Smith.

EDGOTEN—C. E. Barker, C. R. Young.

ELIZABETHTOWN—C. M. Ament; U. P. Boyd; H. Comley; S. Goldmann & Son; S. Howe; F. W. Joplin; Mrs. F. Mathis; Jane Odell, Middle Creek, Ky.; J. O'Mera; C. Ollenger; R. Stoney; Yates & Richardson.

FREDONIA—P. Jordan; J. Wyatt.

FULTON—J. H. Armstrong; Baptist Flag; M. Bynum; W. M. Hurton;

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The following reduced rates
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New Orleans, La., March 3,
1908.

For the above occasion the
Illinois Central Railroad com-
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ets on February 26, 27, 28,
29 and on March 1 and 2,
1908, for \$15.95, good re-
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LONG LIFE

IS ENDED WHEN "AUNT MARY
JANE" HART PASSES AWAY.

Devout Christian Woman Dies at Age
of 83 Years at Mt. Zion, This
County.

Mrs. Mary Jane Hart, one of the
oldest and most highly respected wo-
men of McCracken county, died yes-
terday at her home in the Mt. Zion
neighborhood after a two weeks' ill-
ness of the grip. "Aunt Mary Jane,"
as she was affectionately called by a
large acquaintance, was 83 years old
and up to the beginning of her last
illness was remarkably well preserved,
being able to do all her household
work without assistance. She was a
devout member of the Mt. Zion
church, being an active church worker
and will be greatly missed in the
choirs in which she moved. She is
survived by one son, William Hart,
proprietor of the Commercial hotel.
The funeral will be conducted at the
Mt. Zion church today by the pastor,
the Rev. Mr. McGee, and the burial
will be in the church yard.

Medicine That is Medicine.
"I have suffered a good deal with
malaria and stomach complaints, but
I have now found a remedy that keeps
me well, and that remedy is Electric
Bitters; a medicine that is medicine
for stomach and liver troubles, and
for run-down conditions," says W. C.
Kloster, of Halliday, Ark. Electric
Bitters purify and enrich the blood,
tone up the nerves, and impart vigor
and energy to the weak. Your money
will be refunded if it fails to help
you. See at all druggists.

A STITCH IN TIME
Will pay debt. So will a bottle of
Baldwin's Horchond Syrup always kept
on hand save many a spell of sickness.
A sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Bron-
chitis and Whooping Cough. Mrs. S.
Holt Sprague, Ark., writes: "I keep a
bottle of Baldwin's Horchond Syrup in
my medicine chest, and I thank my fore-
fathers many times. It has prevented
many severe spells of sickness."
Sold by J. H. Oehlhaefer, Lang Bros.
and C. O. Ripley.

In a cemetery at Middlebury, Vt.,
is a stone erected by a widow to her
loving husband bearing this inscrip-
tion:
"Rest in peace—until we meet
again."—The Jewish Ledger.

The Evening Sun—10c a week.

BEYOND BELIEF.

(Pacific Coast Manufacturers' Journal,
Portland, Ore.)

It is amazing that in this intelligent
age there should be no almost certain
specific for Bright's Disease and Dia-
betes, and yet but few know of it.
The promoters are trying hard enough
to tell the people, but paid no medicine
men have with their testimonial bi-
ographies, so imposed upon the people as
to create general distrust. The inno-
cent are now suffering with the guilty,
for who can pick out the honest from
the dishonest statements?

Let it be recorded for thoughtful
people that these diseases are no long-
or necessarily fatal; that with care
and proper treatment they yield al-
most to a certainty. I will see that
parties desiring it are sent literature.
This item is not written by a subor-
dinate, but by the editor of this pub-
lication, and I speak by the card, I
had Diabetes myself.

THE EDITOR.

I heard about this and sent for
it in the interest of people here. If
those interested in the curability of
Bright's Disease or Diabetes will call
I will give them full information. W.
B. McPherson, Paducah, Ky.

TO SEDALIA

THE REV. T. B. ROUSE WILL GO
AT ONCE.

Pastor of Friendship Baptist Church
Resigns His Charge Regretfully.

After serving as pastor of Friend-
ship Baptist church at Lone Oak 27
years the Rev. T. B. Rouse has re-
signed and will go to Sedalia, yava-
county to reside. Mr. Rouse made
the change regretfully, but was forced
to do so in order to be nearer the five
other churches, of which he is pastor.
Resolutions, thanking him for his
work and commending him to the
people of Graves county, were unani-
mously adopted by the congregation
on the occasion of his farewell ser-
mon Sunday.

All the patent medicines and
toilet articles advertised in this
paper are on sale at
McPherson's Drug Store
Fourth and Broadway.

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REPORTER STUMBLES OVER BIG
NEWS VALUATION.

Banker at The Hub Wouldn't Tende
the Cooper End for a
Fortune.

Houston, Feb. 27.—In view of the
enormous sale of Cooper's prepara-
tions now going on in this city and
the intense interest which Mr. Cooper
has stirred up since his arrival, a re-
presentative of the Post spent an after-
noon at the young man's headquarters
watching the swarm of humanity
come and go.

During the afternoon the reporter
interviewed many of the callers and
obtained statements from all who
eared to give them as to their experi-
ences with Cooper and his prepara-
tions.

The following are selected from
those statements as being typical of
the general expression of the people
here:

Charleston H. Hutchinson, a leading
banker and broker, with offices at 8
Congress street, made a very em-
phatic statement, as follows: "Anyone
afflicted with chronic ill health and a
general run-down condition caused by
squamous trouble, who does not try this
man Cooper's medicine, is very fool-
ish. I say this after a most remark-
able experience with the medicine."

"I heard of Cooper's success first
when he was in Chicago, as I have a
private wire to that city in connection
with my business. Later, when he
came East, I learned more of him and
his theory that stomach trouble causes
most ill health. I have had no faith
in anything not prescribed by a phy-
sician for such particular case after
careful diagnosis, but after eight years
of constant suffering, during which
time I spent over \$1,500 with abso-
lutely no relief, I felt that it would at
least do no harm to try the medicine
which I was hearing so much about."

"During these eight years I have
been forced to go without solid food
for five or six weeks at a time. I
always had a sour stomach, was
troubled with formation of gas, and
led the usual miserable life of the dys-
peptic. I was dull, tired, nervous and
gloomy all the time, and was always
constipated."

"I have taken Cooper's medicine a
comparatively short time. For the
past three weeks I have not had the
slightest sign of stomach trouble. I
can eat anything with no bad effect
whatsoever. I have a fine appetite,
am gaining flesh very rapidly, am
cheerful, full of energy, and my nerv-
ousness has disappeared. My bowels
are in perfect condition for the first
time in eight years."

"I don't hesitate to say that I would
not take \$50,000 and be back where I
was. My relief and thankfulness are
beyond description."

Another statement was made by
Mrs. Eugene Bull, of Cohituate,
Mass., who came all the way to Hos-
ton, a distance of twenty-five miles,
just to tell personally what the Cooper
medicine had done for her. She said:

"For many years I underwent ex-
treme suffering from kidney and liver
trouble. At times my back ached so
badly that I could not stand up. I
frequently had dizzy spells, one of
which lasted 21 hours—whenver I
opened my eyes everything seemed to
be swimming around. Whenever I
tried to read, the type soon became
blurred and I was compelled to stop.
My nerves were in a terrible condi-
tion."

"I used all kinds of medicine with-
out obtaining relief, and became dis-
couraged. Upon hearing of the Cooper
remedies, I decided to try them. The
effect of the first bottle of the New
Discovery medicine was marvelous—
my appearance was so much improved
that neighbors remarked about it. I
am stronger and better in every way,
and feel twenty years younger. To-
day a trip to Boston did not fatigue
me in the least. Best of all, I can
read again with pleasure, a favorite
pastime which for a long time I could
not indulge. My nervousness has also
disappeared. No one could be more
thankful than I for the relief Mr.
Cooper's preparation has given me.
I am recommending it to my friends."

The young man seems to be gaining
greater headway as his visit draws to
a close. It is estimated that four
thousand people called on him yester-
day.

SECRET DEALS

WERE AGAINST JUDGMENT OF
JAMES B. DUKE.

He Declares No Companies Were
Bought to Force Them Out of
Business.

New York, Feb. 28.—That the
action of the American Tobacco com-
pany in secretly buying up certain
small companies and suppressing the
fact of the purchases was against his
better judgment, was testified to by
James B. Duke, president of the
American Tobacco company, in the
federal suit to dissolve the company.

Mr. Duke further said that such
action was taken by the company to
protect those who controlled the com-
panies which were taken over. Mr.
Duke's testimony was taken at his
home, where he is confined by illness.

Much of Mr. Duke's evidence re-
lated to the history of the formation
of the alleged tobacco trust. He de-
clared that on no occasion did his
company obtain control of or buy into
a rival company to force that com-
pany out of business, but that such
purchases were made only for invest-
ment. The Union Tobacco company
was bought Mr. Duke said, because
the American Tobacco company be-
lieved that by the purchase it would
secure strong financial associations
and thereby enable the parent com-
pany to take in the United States To-
bacco company.

Questioned in relation to the price
of tobacco leaf, Mr. Duke said that it
was the desire of the American To-
bacco company to have a stable and
uniform price for the commodity,
and that, while the company hoped
that the price would be maintained
at a reasonable figure, it did not seri-
ously object to any price so long as
its competitors paid the same price.

Marked for Death.

"Three years ago I was marked for
death. A grave-yard cough was tear-
ing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed
to help me, and hope had fled, when
my husband got Dr. King's New Dis-
covery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams,
of Hae, Ky. "The first dose helped
me and improvement kept on until I
had gained 38 pounds in weight and
my health was fully restored." This
medicine holds the world's healing
record for coughs and colds and lung
and throat diseases. It prevents pneu-
monia. Sold under guarantee at all
druggists, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bot-
tle free.

MURRAY.

W. L. Whitnell and wife left last
Friday for Tallahoma, Tenn., to spend
several days. We are informed that
Mr. Whitnell expects to leave Murray
within a short time and it is possible
that he will decide to make his home
in Tallahoma.

W. J. Parks has commenced re-
building his home that was recently
burned. He is building on the site of
the old home.

H. B. Gilbert, of Athens, Tenn.,
was the guest of relatives in Murray
for several days the past week.

Judge S. P. Simpson, who has been
quite ill for three weeks, is gradually
improving and is now able to sit up.

Humphreys Miller, the only son of
Eph Miller, died the past week at his
home a few miles south of Murray of
kidney trouble. He was one of the
county's splendid young citizens and
was widely and well known. He is
survived by a wife and one child.

Mrs. W. W. Stubbfield and Mrs.
N. T. Hale are expected home from
Texas the last of the week.

This Is Worth Reading.

Leo F. Zelinski, of 68 Gibson St.,
Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I cured the
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plied this salve once a day for two
days, when every trace of the sore
was gone." Heals all sores. Sold
under guarantee at all druggists, 25c.

IN THE EVENING.

Finance Committee of General Coun-
cil May Meet.

At the regular meeting of the fi-
nance committee of the general coun-
cil this afternoon it will be decided
whether or not the time of meeting
will be changed from the afternoon
to evening, as has been suggested by
some of the members, who are busi-
ness men and do not have an oppor-
tunity to be present in the afternoons.
The board of public works which has
been meeting in the afternoon ever
since the city went into the second
class, has changed its time to 7:30
o'clock in the evening and the meet-
ing next Tuesday will be held at that
time.

DON'T PUT IT OFF.

Until tomorrow what you can do today.
If you are suffering from a cold, fever
or constipation don't wait until to-
morrow to get help. Buy a bottle of Her-
bine and get that fever working right.
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sick spells. Mrs. Ida Greenham, Point,
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STANDARD OIL MONEY WILL BE USED TO DEFEAT WILLIAM H. TAFT AT CHICAGO

Walter Wellman Discloses Perfidy of Opposition to National Administration in Contest.

Walter Wellman says: There's a colored man in the woodyard. Also Standard Oil for lubricant. It is a dangerous combination. It develops that the one hope the opponents of President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft have of beating the latter in the Chicago convention is by developing a factious, artificial opposition in the southern states. The Brownsville negro regiment is the pretext and Standard Oil is furnishing the funds. At least, that is the belief of men who usually know what they are talking about. For weeks a number of men have been going through the southern states jockeying political revolt among the negroes and among the white Republicans who have been turned down as office-holders and office purveyors by the president in his desire to get efficient federal service in that region and incidentally give the Republican party there at least a semblance of respectability. These men are well supplied with funds, which are understood to come from 26 Broadway, the fair of Standard Oil, and they are spending it freely where it will do the most good.

The game is to win delegates, of course, wherever that be possible, and where it is not, to start contests which can be carried to the Chicago convention with a great air of virtue and as much noise as possible about the opposition to Taft. The result is sure to be a stench in the nostrils of the country.

This is not an attempt to prejudice the case. It is not pretended that all the justice and legality are on one side that all of the anti-Taft contestants are necessarily mere pretenders. But it is obvious to all who understand the situation in the south that for the most part the regular Republican organizations are friendly to the administration. That is the natural and expected thing in the south. It is true President Roosevelt has been more concerned in the south with getting a better class of federal officials than with the details of party organization, but he has not wholly neglected the political side. The fact that paid agents of the opposition are traveling about encouraging rump conventions is of itself suspicious. It is the easiest thing in the world to stir up that sort of trouble in the south. All that is needed is a man with brains enough to boss the job and a little money to grease the wheels.

What occurred in Florida is a sample of the game the opposition to the president is trying to play in every southern state. Investigation shows that the state convention which named Taft delegates was as regular and correct as any convention ever held in any northern state. But plotters from the north had worked up a scheme by which men with no colorable claim to right invaded the hall and kicked up a big row. That was all there was of it, brazen, barefaced bit of blackguardism, yet these hired rowdies will be at Chicago on Standard Oil money.

claiming to be the regular Republican delegates from Florida and the poor patient national committee will have to sit and wait for hours while glib lawyers pour forth their tales of woe as to the merits of this trumped-up case. What was done in Florida the same men are trying to do elsewhere. It would not be surprising if the national committee lost patience with the whole lot and made short shift of them.

It will not do to assume that the entire south is to be thus plunged into turmoil. Statements have been published that the enormous number of 280 delegate seats from the south are to be contested at Chicago. This is absurd. It is an injustice to the south and to the states which border the south, but are sometimes classed as southern. Everyone knows that the Republican party is thoroughly organized and competent to take care of its own troubles in some parts of the south, as in Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee and North Carolina. This is true to a less degree also in Virginia, Florida, Alabama, Arkansas and Texas.

If the men lighting Roosevelt and Taft have the Standard Oil barrel to draw upon they can make a lot of trouble in the south, not only with rump delegates, but by tampering with the honor of legitimate delegates. There is a fair chance that the Republican party will find itself involved in

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SCHOOL NOTES

Tomorrow the High school lads will take another tramp into the country, and their destination this time will be Lone Oak and return, a distance of about ten miles. The following boys will leave the High school tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock: William Wilhelm, Claud Eppelheimer, Roy Hockwischer, Will Fisher, Nello Mitchell, Frank Luftenberg, Oscar Smith and Prof. C. H. Schriever.

The cross-country walks have developed spirit in the boys, and yesterday William Wilhelm, captain of the track team, called a meeting and presented the following program for a track meet in the spring: Shot put, hammer throwing, mile run, 2-mile run, 5-mile run, pole vault, 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, 110 yard dash, high hurdle, low hurdle, running broad jump, running high jump and standing high jump.

At least two entries have been secured to every feature. Prof. C. H. Schriever and Frank Cheek will coach the boys after school hours for the contest, and when warm weather arrives several hours a day will be put in at practicing.

Superintendent J. A. Carnagey will return tomorrow morning from Washington, where he has been attending the meeting of the superintendents. Miss Margaret Carnagey accompanied Professor Carnagey on the trip. Miss Mabel C. Mitchell, of the Washington building, was sick today, and Miss Louise James was in charge of her room.

RIVER NEWS

River Stages.

Calo	14.5	0.3	fall
Chattanooga	7.7	0.2	rise
Cincinnati	24.0	3.6	fall
Evansville	36.3	1.9	fall
Florence	7.2	0.1	fall
Johnsboro	16.3	1.8	fall
Louisville	9.6	1.0	fall
Mt. Carmel	21.1	0.9	fall
Nashville	12.1	0.4	fall
Pittsburg	6.0	0.3	fall
St. Louis	17.3	1.2	fall
Mt. Vernon	39.0	1.2	fall
Paducah	39.8	0.8	fall

River stage at 7 o'clock this morning read 39.8, a fall of 8 since yesterday morning.

The steamer Kentucky arrived from the Tennessee river last night at 2 o'clock with a big trip of freight. She went to Hookport this morning to unload and take on freight, leaving for the Tennessee tomorrow night.

The Joe Fowler arrived from Evansville this morning and did a big freight business at the wharft. She left for Evansville at noon.

The towboat Blue Spot has had her boilers repaired and got away for the Tennessee river this morning after a tow of ties.

The towboat Florence Marmel, which is running in the Charlotte Hoekler's place, arrived this morning from the Mississippi with a tow of pulp wood for Cincinnati.

The Mary Mc passed up the Ohio this morning bound for Proctorville, Ohio.

The Dick Fowler got in from Calo last night at 9:30 o'clock with a big trip of freight for Paducah. She left for Calo at 8 o'clock this morning.

The Paducah Marine Ways company secured the contract to repair the big United States steamer Lilly of the upper Mississippi river service. She will be fitted in the cradles as soon as room can be made for her.

The Lydia got in from the Tennessee river last night with a tow of ties. She went to Joppa with them.

Pittsburg rivermen are expecting a rise in the rivers within the next few days. Conditions are favorable for a good rise and the height of the water will depend on the amount of rainfall. There is much snow in the mountains and it would not require much rain or warm weather to bring the Ohio to a rock-shiping stage.

Secretary Taft yesterday heard argument at Washington for and against the order of the government that eight bridges crossing the Allegheny river at Pittsburgh be raised in the interest of navigation of the river. The hearing will continue today.

Captain Bettlinger, of Cincinnati, called attention to the report of the government engineers, which favors a lack water in the river in the interest of navigation far above Pittsburg and said that this improvement would be useless unless the bridges were gotten out of the way of the river navigation.

The Harth arrived from the mines at Caseyville with a tow of coal this morning for the West Kentucky Coal company.

The Georgia Lee left Memphis today bound for Cincinnati. She is due here Sunday.

The City of Saltillo got away last evening for the Tennessee river on

her first trip this season in the St. Louis and Tennessee river trade.

The sloop, "Ida Victoria," a sailing vessel, which is being built at the dry docks by Charles Bruggeman, an Austrian sailor, was transferred to his wife, Ida Bruggeman by an instrument filed in the county clerk's office today. The deed of transfer includes the furnishings of the boat and all other property owned by Bruggeman.

Official Forecasts.

The Ohio at Evansville and Mt. Vernon will continue falling for several days. At Paducah and Calo, will fall very slowly for several days and afterward more rapidly.

The Tennessee from Florence to the mouth will continue falling for two days.

The Mississippi from below St. Louis to below Cape Girardeau will rise.

The Wabash at Mt. Carmel will continue falling.

LOCAL MARKET.

Eggs are selling at 15 cents a dozen wholesale in Paducah today, and are being retailed at the market and groceries at 17 1/2 cents. The price is almost unheard of in Paducah at this season of the year, and is brought about by the extremely mild winter.

The Father never drove any into the far country.



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Specialties in Barboa Tonight.

Tonight will be witnessed the presentation of Prof. William Doni's opera "Barboa," at the Kentucky theater for the benefit of the D. A. R. Memorial Fountain fund. Much interest for the past few weeks has centered in the event and the audience promises to be a large and appreciative one. All the boxes have been taken and will add to the brilliancy of the occasion. The cast is an especially strong one and includes: King of Barboa, a patriarchal sovereign, Mr. Robert Scott. To-morrow, an Irish cowboy, who, wrecked upon the island, has been made a privileged character by king and people.

Mr. James A. Young, Lenora, who is scheming for marital advantages, Miss Caroline Ham, Ivan, who, exiled from his native land, has found a home among the people of Barboa, and has become an advisor and favorite of the king. Mr. Richard Scott, Dora, a beautiful orphan, affianced to Ivan, who comes to Barboa to be the bride of her lover. Miss Lillian Lancaster, The only prelate of the island. Mr. Frank Cheek, Dora's companion. Miss William Doni, The king's courier. Mr. Salen Cope, A bridal party: Misses Anna Hill, Claire St. John, Clara Smith, Eliza

both Williamson, and Messrs. Frank Cheek, David Yelzer, A. G. Rhodes, Salen Cope. Chorus led by Misses Anna Hill and Claire St. John, sopranos; Miss Elizabeth Williamson, alto; Salen Cope, tenor, and Frank Cheek, bass; numbers 21 girls and boys as follows: Miss Elsie Hodge and Will Rinkhoff, Miss Anna Hill and Frank Cheek, Miss Claire St. John and David Yelzer, Miss Willie Willis and Clyde Warren, Miss Clara Smith and A. G. Rhodes, Miss Allie D. Foster and John Donovan, Miss Edith Hawkins and Mel Byrd, Miss Mary Ewell Ham and Scott Lamb, Miss Ernestine Ains and William Pierce, Robert Mitchell, Miss Lamb and Zack Hayes, Miss Louise James and George Scott, Miss Helen Powell and Vincent Salvato, Miss Brooks Smith and Harry Singleton, Miss Elizabeth Williamson and Salen Cope.

The fancy dances will be an especial feature. They will include: Rhythmic dance, Military dance, Gypsy dance by Miss Claire St. John, and the Liberty dance by Little La Verne Purcell. The Island Dance at the reception to the king will be an effective ceremonial danced by: Miss Elsie Hodge and Will Rinkhoff, Miss Claire St. John and David Yelzer, Jr.; Miss Anna Hill and Felix St. John, Miss Brooks Smith and Harry Singleton, Miss

Elizabeth Williamson and Salen Cope, Miss Willie Willis and Mel Byrd.

A pretty dance not heretofore mentioned will be that of little Miss Caroline Mather the attractive 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mather, who will make her initial appearance on the stage. It will be a Spanish dance in the last act, and her costume will carry out the Spanish colors, red, yellow and black most effectively. The little maiden is said to have caught the Spanish grace and rhythm of movement in a captivating way.

In the last act Miss Caroline Ham will sing "Island of My Dreams," from Irvin Cobb's opera of "Punchinello," which is a taking feature. "Barboa" will be presented at a matinee on Saturday afternoon at the Kentucky in order that ladies and children not able to go at night may witness it.

Talking Through the Chest. It has recently become generally known that the user of the telephone can make himself understood if he places his chest instead of his mouth to the transmitter. Under favorable circumstances it is said that the message may be transmitted through other parts of the body. As yet no practical use has been made of this interesting discovery.—Success Magazine.

Peggy—Was that policeman ever a little baby, mother? Mother—Why, yes, dear. Peggy (thoughtfully)—I don't believe I've ever seen a baby policeman!—Punch.